

WEATHER Cloudy, possibly showers, slightly warmer Tuesday; Wednesday fair.

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# TOLEDO

# SLUGGER STRIKES AGAIN

**REPORT THAT MARIE ORDERED HOME BY HUBBY PERSISTS**

Queen At Niagara Unperturbed By Mystery Air

ABOARD QUEEN MARIE'S SPECIAL TRAIN AT NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Oct. 26.—Amidst an atmosphere of intrigue rivaling a Balkan political convention, Queen Marie, of Rumania, left the land of democracy today for an excursion into Canadian territory.

While the glories of the world's greatest waterfall were unfolded to her majesty's eyes, whisperings and rumors of various sorts filled the corridors of the eleven-car royal train.

The bubbles which shimmered the loudest eddied about the report that Queen Marie had been called back to Rumania by King Ferdinand. A specific denial of this was issued through one of her majesty's spokesmen. Nevertheless, mysterious conferences were held in the royal section of the train. The Rumanian secret service man aboard also showed exceedingly active.

Her majesty, with cold improved, left American hospitality for a few days with a beautiful "slave bracelet" clasped to her shapely wrist. The jewelry was a gift from the city of Buffalo. It was of white gold, studded with diamonds and cost the city of fathers \$175.

The Buffalo city council went to considerable trouble to give her majesty a royal reception. They even wired the royal party if dress suits and hats would be the proper uniform. A royal attache wired back that it was "customary" and the welcoming committee appeared faultlessly attired. Even the waiters at the royal dinner wore white gloves.

**FORTUNE IN JEWELS STOLEN AT TOLEDO FROM EAST BROKER**

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 26.—A trunk containing \$100,000 worth of diamonds was ransacked of its contents here early yesterday morning by three thieves, according to the owner, Jack Klovile, a diamond broker of New York City.

Klovile had checked the trunk at Buffalo Sunday for Toledo, he claims. When he called at the union station baggage room for it, he was informed that it had disappeared.

Later the management of the hotel where Klovile was staying found the empty trunk in one of its rooms. This room had been assigned to John Jones, Harry Carl and George Jones, of Duluth. They had fled.

Police say that the thieves had trailed Klovile and had switched baggage checks in such a manner as to give them possession of it.

Klovile, who is connected with the firm of Klovile Brothers, 195 Broadway, declared the gems were insured.

**TORNADO STRIKES NEW JERSEY CITY**

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 26.—A trail of ruin and wreckage was left in the wake of a tornado which descended on this city and suburbs yesterday, demolishing buildings, uprooting trees and causing slight injuries to several persons who were showered with debris and blown off their feet.

The "twister" swept a narrow path through outlying sections and struck the residential districts, where it wreaked the heaviest damage. It lasted five minutes, appearing from the north and disappearing in a south-easterly direction.

**HOUDINI SERIOUS AFTER OPERATION**

DETROIT, Oct. 26.—Harry Houdini, world-famous magician, still was in serious condition today after an operation for acute appendicitis yesterday.

Attending physicians announced that his recovery was doubtful. They explained that the appendix had ruptured far over on the left side of the abdomen and a streptococcal peritonitis had developed.

Houdini collapsed at the conclusion of Sunday night's performance. He appeared in the show against his physician's advice, rather than disappoint a capacity crowd.

**SALE DATES RESERVED.**

+ Oct. 28.—J. O. St. John.  
+ Nov. 9.—Frank Smith.  
+ Nov. 11.—Walter Reed.  
+ Nov. 10.—John Young.  
+ Nov. 3.—A. H. St. John.



Commands Finns

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**EARTHQUAKE SHOCK REPORTED IN RUSSIA, NEW YORK AND WEST**

LENINGRAD, Oct. 26.—The seismographic station today reported severe earthquake shocks were registered yesterday. The disturbance was believed to have taken place somewhere in the region of the Caucasus and the shocks were said to have been even stronger than those which occurred in Armenia on Saturday.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Two earthquake shocks were registered during the night, the Fordham University seismograph showed today.

The first, at 10:57 last evening, was at a distance of approximately 7,500 miles from New York. The second, at 1:20 this morning, could not be located because of disturbances in the air.

DENVER, Oct. 26.—An examination of the Regis College seismograph record at eight o'clock this morning revealed, according to Father A. W. Forestall, seismologist, earth shocks of forty-five minutes duration, starting at 10:12 p.m. The maximum was reached at 10:30, ending at 10:57. The distance was estimated at between five and six thousand miles in a westerly direction. The shock was of the second magnitude, though not very prominent, due to the great distance.

**STATE'S SMALLEST RAILROAD SUES**

STEUBENVILLE, O., Oct. 26.—What is believed to be Ohio's smallest railroad, the three-mile Toronto, Knoxville and Western, extending from the Ohio River at Toronto to a coal mine near Knoxville, has a suit on file in the common pleas court of Jefferson County here in an effort to have its tax-attributed valuation reduced.

Defendants in the suit are the Tax Commission of Ohio and the auditor of Jefferson County.

The railroad is equipped with one locomotive and seven cars. A valuation of \$146,000 was set on it by the state tax commission.

The Warner Collieries, contending it is merely a mine switch, cites \$6,000 as the average value per mile placed on railroad switches in this part of the state and declares a revision is absolutely necessary.

**MYSTERY CALL TO DAYTON IS PROBED**

DETROIT, Oct. 26.—Police today sought Katherine Plummer, 22, who is said to have telephoned her father, Dr. Donald Plummer, of Dayton, O., stating she had come to Detroit to commit suicide. A man representing himself as Dr. Plummer called the Detroit police giving the text of the message which he said he had received over long-distance telephone.

"I am at the union station in Detroit. I came here to commit suicide."

Police rushed to the station but learned that a girl answering her description had left a short time before.

She left home after a quarrel, police said.

**NO POLITICS**

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 26.—Governor Vic Donahey will not make a campaign speech in Akron on Saturday night but will make a non-political address before a singing society meeting early Sunday evening. It was announced at his office here.

**DENY REPORT**

VIENNA, Oct. 26.—The Rumanian government has issued an official denial of reports that King Ferdinand has cabled to Queen Marie to return home because of American criticisms of her tour; it was reported here of her tour.

## MELLET CASE PROBE CENTERS IN MYSTERY M'DERMOTT ADDRESS

Held Suspect Furnished With Apartment And Riches in Hide-Away

CANTON, O., Oct. 26.—Interest in the mystery surrounding the slaying three months ago of Don R. Mellett, crusading Canton publisher, veered sharply today from possibilities of startling developments that may be brought to light in a confession from Pat McDermott, believed key figure in the murder, to an elaborately furnished apartment in Cleveland, the address unknown, where McDermott claimed to have been hiding for three months while investigators were combing the country in an effort to apprehend him.

Belief that the solution to the entire murder mystery may be contained in this apartment was expressed today by Detective Ora Slater, who, with Prosecutor C. B. McClintock, brought McDermott back to Canton, Sunday night.

"I believe that, when we ascertain the whereabouts of that apartment, we will be able to reveal the real motive behind the three indicted men."

While McDermott was being held incommunicado in a solitary confinement cell in the Canton workhouse today, prior to a visit from Slater and McClintock, who will attempt to obtain his confession, his brother, Bernard McDermott, who helped make the delivery of Pat to the authorities, was in Cleveland, ostensibly searching for the mysterious apartment of unknown address. Bernard claimed that Pat had never given him the exact location of the hide-away but that, from information he managed to glean from his brother's talk, Bernard believed it could be discovered.

McDermott's confession, investigators claim, will incriminate another man, believed by police to be a person who has figured prominently in the talk surrounding the slaying and whose whereabouts is cloaked in mystery.

"I don't know whether we shall call the grand jury from its recess to issue a new indictment," McClintock said. "But please rest assured that, if McDermott does incriminate any other person, we will go after him."

Jones was formerly president of the Yorkville bank.

The payment of the note releases \$9,000 of the assets of the Yorkville bank held by the Cleveland bank, it is said, and will result in an additional eight per cent payment to depositors of the Yorkville institution.

Prosecuting Attorney Roy Merryman said he had been advised the money was paid to the Cleveland bank late yesterday but that he had made no promise in connection with the payment by the defendants. The Yorkville bank failed in May, it being alleged that the three indicted men issued a fraudulent certificate of deposit for \$50,000 to the Cleveland bank on the Yorkville institution.

Attorneys for Francis and Balknap declared that, in view of the restitution, their clients are now only technically charged.

Thomas Jones, the other alleged signer of the certificate, was before the grand jury today explaining the details that led up to the closing of the bank and the alleged shortage of about \$80,000 of the funds.

**SUPREME COURT TO UPHOLD PRESIDENT**

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The power of the president to remove a federal officer without the consent of the senate was sustained by the supreme court yesterday, thus ending a dispute as to constitutional rights that has waged between the legislative and executive branches of the government for half a century.

The decision was handed down in the case of Frank S. Myers, now deceased, former postmaster at Portland, Oregon. Myers was appointed by President Wilson in 1917 and removed from office three years later, without the consent of the senate. Because his appointment had to be confirmed by the senate, his heirs contend in a suit for back-pay, that his removal without the senate's consent was not constitutional.

Chief Justice Taft delivered the opinion.

**EXPLOSION OF GAS IN FURNACE MAKES SLIGHT DAMAGE**

A slight explosion resulting from an accumulation of gases that ripped a small hole in the top of a coal furnace bowl at the residence of Roy Jones, Third and Whittemore Sts., at 7:25 o'clock Tuesday morning, caused no damage.

Mrs. Jones was sitting near the furnace at the time and was frightened by the blast but not injured. It is believed the furnace had been built up during the night and that the bowl became overheated when the fire was again stoked early Tuesday morning.

The ladder truck of the fire department, answering the alarm, met with a slight auto accident at Second and Collier Sts. before arriving at the residence.

The truck, driven by Herman Fisher, collided with a Hooven and Allison Co. truck at the intersection. One fender was bent and the running board torn on the fire truck. The second truck was also damaged and whirled completely around, drivers of both vehicles escaping injury.

The first truck was going south on Collier St. and the H. and A. truck east on Second St.

**REOPEN MINE**

BRIDGEPORT, O., Oct. 26.—The Youghiogheny and Ohio Coal Company, one of the largest in the state, will reopen its Boggs mine at Barton next Monday, after being closed two years.

All but one of the larger mines in Eastern Ohio will then be in operation, making approximately 13,000 of the 15,000 miners at work. Other industries are being seriously affected by the men going back to the mines.

**TEACHES PRINCESS JAZZ DANCES**



Felicia Sorel, pretty Chicago girl of Roumanian extraction who appears on stage, says she has been asked to give Princess Ileana of Roumania instruction in American jazz dances.

## SIX FORMER SWEETHEARTS OF MURDERED GIRL HELD IN CASE

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 26.—Six former sweethearts of Beulah Purvis, murdered last Friday, Ind., "cotton stockinged" country girl, were to be questioned today by Sheriff's deputies investigating the baffling slaying.

Another man, known about the Harrison, O., skating rink as "Charlie," was also being sought by the officers in the hope that from him a solution of the crime might be wrung.

"Charlie" was said to have threatened Beulah's life when she refused to permit him to take her home from the skating rink seven weeks ago, investigators declared.

The father of the girl, father of twenty-five other children, eleven of whom are living, declared that "Allus used her shoe right smartly."

A reward of \$1,000 offered by county commissioners yesterday for the arrest and conviction of her slayer today added a new impetus to the investigation.

Blood-soaked gravel along the Big Four railroad near where the body was found last Wednesday added another angle to the mystery today.

NEWPORT, Ky., Oct. 26.—Across the Ohio river, authorities were trying to find the man whom they thought could solve the murder of Miss Beulah Purvis, whose body was found in the Big Miami river last week, authorities here today were trying to find the woman they believe to be the imposter.

Meantime, authorities sounded a warning for a "highway sheik with the imprint of the heel of a shoe on his face,"—for Beulah before she was beaten, stabbed, kicked and thrown lifeless into the Big Miami river last week, was thought to have used her feet, as she always did when angered.

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Police today are searching for a woman who phoned headquarters late last week and told them that "Bucholz's body had been thrown into the river."

**AUTHORITIES TO DECLARE WAR ON AUTO VIOLATORS**

CINCINNATI COAL PRICES ALSO SOAR

John W. Prugh and Police Chief M. E. Graham have declared open war on motorists who violate the business and residential district speed limits and regulations of the new traffic ordinance.

Chief Graham delivers the following warning:

"The speed limit in Xenia is fifteen miles per hour in the business district and twenty-five miles per hour in the residence district. The business district extends from Church St. to Third St. on Detroit St., and from Galloway to Market, Second and Third Sts."

"You must approach all signals and intersections slow, with car under control and observe all stop and slow signs. In the future all violations will be prosecuted."

**LIFE SENTENCE**

FINDLAY, O., Oct. 26.—Merritt Green, 26, convicted of second-degree murder in the death of Winfield Williams, shot during a quarrel over the use of a threshing machine, was sentenced to life imprisonment by Common Pleas Judge W. F. Duncan.

**HIGH ASPIRATIONS**  
ST. CLAIRSVILLE, O., Oct. 26.—W. Harold McWilliams, local news writer, got a cold reception when he went into the clouds to hunt votes while campaigning for election as clerk of Belmont County courts, he said, after an airplane trip over the county during which he dropped campaign literature on peaceful communities. McWilliams said the plane traveled at only 3,000 feet yet it was uncomfortably chilly.

**SCHOOL TEACHER EIGHTH VICTIM OF CITY MANIAC**  
Murder Marks Third Visitation Of Fiend Recently

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 26.—The maniac killer has struck here again, his victim this time being Miss Lily Gray, 25, a school teacher, whose battered and criminally assaulted body was found in an angle of the Washington public school building at 1:30 a. m. today.

Every peace officer in Toledo has been put on the trail of the fiend already held responsible for clubbing and attacking seven other women, three of whom he killed.

Miss Gray was attacked upon her return from attending night classes at Toledo University. The left side of her head was crushed, as if from three or four strikes of a club or bar. Her clothing was torn from her body.

Coroner Henzler, who examined the woman's body and declared that she had been criminally assaulted, also stated that the evidence indicated it was the crime of an insane person.

Detectives were of accord that the murder marks the third visitation of the fiend who terrorized the community last November.

For two weeks the depredations of the clubber continued. His crimes were stopped when he was captured and he was confined to a dark recess upon a lone woman, clubbing her into insensibility and attacking her. Again, for two weeks, police sirens screamed forth at night with alarms.

His second campaign of crime was, apparently,

# The Girl Who Dared

By May Christie

## Chapter 37

## AT THE JAI-ALAI GAME

Luella Leder, with her aunt and uncle, sat in the high concrete building called the Fronton Jai-Alai, in Havana, and—amid a shouting, betting multitude—watched the famous game that for endurance, skill and lightning judgment can't be beaten anywhere.

"Pelota," it is called. But here it has taken the title of its court, "Jai-Alai."

An extraordinary scene it was!

So swift the ball moved it was like a bullet! It was caught and flung by the opposing teams with seldom a fault or error, hurled violently against the wall, and back again and yet again, with the odds changing every instant, and the bookmakers yelling madly, the betting papers constantly thrown to the spectators in hollow rubber globes.

The court was a rectangle, over two hundred feet in length, with white lines marked on it, and the players—extraordinarily lithe young Cubans—were in dazzling white, with red silk sashes, and a racquet-like arrangement, called a "cesta," strapped to the arm.

Above cement ledges, packed with men, were boxes, in one of which the Wade party had accommodation. Immediately below them was a sort of promenade where the "bookies" did their roaring trade. A bar, in high acuity, did likewise.

The noise the audience made was unbelievable. Men and women yelled like lunatics, lifted clenched fists, and shook with rage if the team they'd backed was losing. Loud curses, wild entreaties, and bawled insults rent the air, tempered by the delighted shrieks of those who had odds up on the favorites.

"My head is splitting," peevishly murmured Mrs. Wade, but no one listened to her. Cyrus was gleaning marvelous "copy" for his book, and the primitive side of Miss Luella was aflame. \*

She leant over, shouting to the bookies in their scarlet caps, and adroitly catching their betting papers as they flew through the air in hollow rubber balls.

Cyrus Wade leant back, and leisurely surveyed the Cuban families in the other boxes. Beautiful, provocative young women, with dark, languorous eyes. Devoted and mustachioed fathers. Plump mothers, the clear parlor of whose once exquisite complexions had faded to a soft, brownish tint, just like a gardenia does. And slender sons, small-waisted, with patrician features and a sensitive, expressive gaze.

The marriages down here seemed more successful than those in the United States, thought Cyrus Wade.

Interesting folks, the high-class Cubans, with that touch of dignity about them, that faint tinge, too, of melancholy that the northern people lacked.

"Oh, look!" Luella cried suddenly, above the din that almost shook the Fronton. "Over in that box—the big woman in purple velvet—"

Aunt and uncle both looked round.

"A vulgar creature," commented Mrs. Wade, still peevish. "Not a friend of yours, surely Luella?" She put up a longorn.

"Don't do that. She's a fiery-tempered person. She might make a scene." Luella recollects, none too pleasantly, the evening at the El Fey Club, not so very long ago.

"But who is she? Purple velvet! And the hat! So noticeable!"

"She's Philip Andover's sister-in-law. His late brother's wife. Her child gets the estate." Luella's expression was a little awry. "Good gracious! She's too awful! Such bad taste as his brother must have had! And Mr. And-

over himself is so refined!" Mrs. Wade took a good look at the woman who had ousted—she considered—her own niece from the property.

"It makes me hot to look at her! Cy"—turning to her sleek little husband—"get a refresher for me. That thing we had this morning—'pina colado,' I think it's called."

The chilled essence of pine-apple was brought to her in an enormous glass. It was a delightful mixture, and she consumed it thirstily.

There was an interlude when the game concluded, and the people in the boxes rose and stretched their legs.

"I'm going down to the betting counters to get my winnings," announced Luella, rising.

The Wades went with her, straggling through the moving masses on the promenade.

"I say, there!" The woman in purple velvet was already at the bar, a Scotch and soda in her hand. She wheeled round to address Luella: "Haven't forgotten me, have you? Not already?"

Luella introduced her to her aunt and uncle, rather hesitant.

Mrs. James Andover's face was red, and it was obvious that she had dined too well. Her mood was affable.

"Pretty country, huh? You must all come out and see our property. The 'hacienda'—she mispronounced the Spanish word—"has heaps of empty bedrooms, and I'm thinking of giving a sort of house-warming. Jerry's in his element about the farm."

She turned to introduce a thin, fox-looking little man.

"My ballif, Mr. Timkins. What he doesn't know about tobacco—Shake off, rolling her prominent eyes in a delirious manner.

The Wade party was about to move away, when the woman suddenly gripped Luella by the elbow.

"Hold on! I've a bit of news for you that no doubt'll please you though sorry I was to hear it myself, though the poor creature never had much fun in life, and in her shoes I'd have made him pay through the nose properly, I tell you. Not that he was exactly stingy—with her, but she never showed much spirit, till I got hold of her in New York, and put her up to a trick or two!"

"What has happened?" asked Luella quietly, a sudden premonition taking her. "What is it?"

The woman said, with hard, cunning eyes upon Luella's face, to note the exact effect of the announcement:

"I'd a cable today from Nassau from John Rogers. His wife died of heart failure early this morning."

"What's that you say?" Mrs. Wade swung round on the speak-

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6 yds. 36 in. Light or Dark Outing, 19c quality	\$1.00
5 yds. Table Oil Cloth, 30c quality	\$1.00
7 yds. Straw Ticking, Good Weight	\$1.00
4 yds. Feather Ticking, 29c quality	\$1.00
5 yds. English Prints, good patterns, 25c quality	\$1.00
7 yds. 36 in. Light and Dark Percale, Special	\$1.00
7 yds. Gingham Striped and Plain Blue, 17c qual.	\$1.00
10 yds. Apron and Dress Gingham, 18c quality	\$1.00
Cotton Blankets, per pair, \$2.00. Single	\$1.00
2 Plain Blue Work Shirts, 74c quality	\$1.00
1 pr. 220 wt. Heavy Plain Blue Overalls	\$1.00
2 1-2 yds. Pepperl Sheet, 54c quality	\$1.00
2 Sheets, 72x90 (Full Size) 74c quality	\$1.00
6 Pillow Cases (Full Size) 25c quality	\$1.00
2 Children's Union Suits up to 74c quality	\$1.00
7 yds. Cretonne and Comfort Challie, 17c quality	\$1.00
3 Boy's Waists up to 49c quality	\$1.00
11 yards 36 in. Bleached Muslin, 11c quality	\$1.00
10 Pr. Men's Canvas Gloves, 15c quality	\$1.00
18 yds. Unbleached Muslin. Special	\$1.00
1 Rag Rug or Tapestry Rug, Special	\$1.00
2 Window Blinds, 59c quality	\$1.00
1 Men's or Ladies' Union Suits up to \$1.34 quality	\$1.00

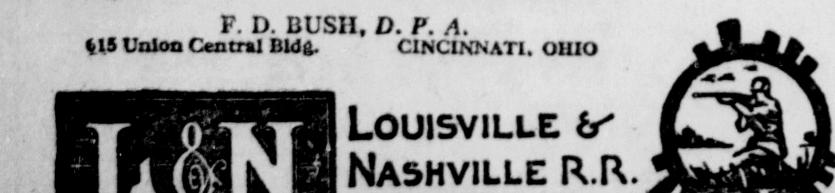


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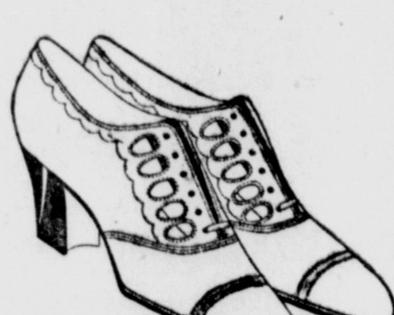
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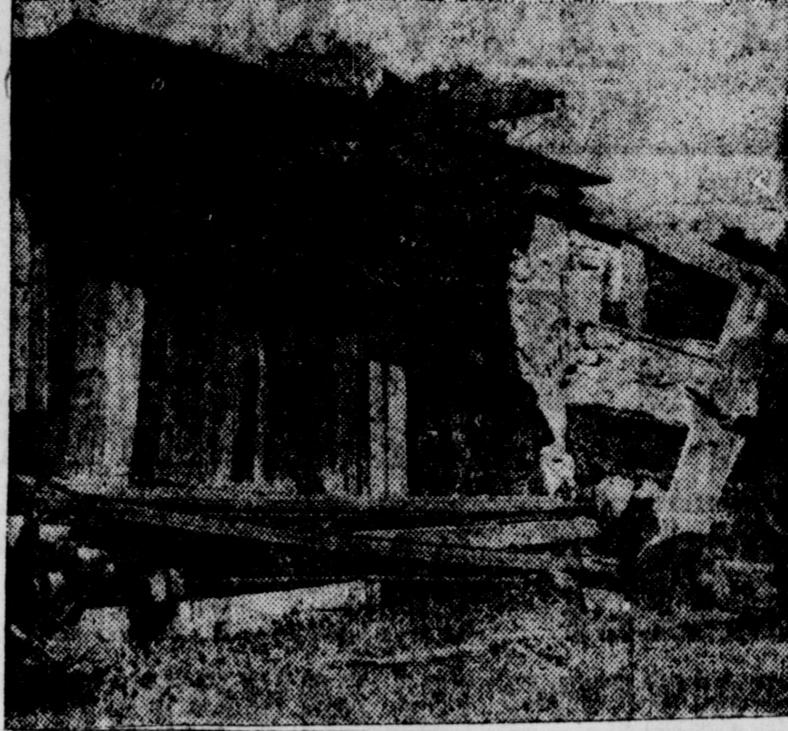
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Lunch served by Ladies' Aid of Paintersville at 11:30.

T. C. Long, Clerk

## MAIL BANDITS ESCAPE NET



Bandits who staged fatal \$300,000 mail robbery in Elizabeth, N. J., are continuing to elude posse searching Watchung mountains for them. Photo shows state police searching old farm house, hopeful of finding clue to outlaws' lair.

## ESCAPE SERIOUS HURT IN WRECK

clear of it, but both women were still in the machine when it alighted right side up. Mrs. Seller suffered a severe cut on the arm. Mr. Sessler was cut about the head and Mrs. Venard's back was hurt. Mr. Venard escaped with less hurts than his three companions. The injured people were sheltered at a farm house in the vicinity while Dr. R. L. Haines of Jamestown was notified. He took them to their homes in Jamestown.

NEARS COMPLETION  
MARION, O. Oct. 26.—The Harding Memorial Tomb will be completed November 1, 1927, according to plans of Attorney Hoke Donathan, chairman of the executive committee of the Harding Memorial Association.



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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1926

16—HEAD GUERNSEY CATTLE—16

10—REGISTERED GUERNSEYS—10

6—GRADE GUERNSEYS—6

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57—HOGS—57

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## Society-Personal-Clubs

**THE NICEST** courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visits through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

### MRS. KELBLE/HOSTESS TO CURRENT EVENTS CLUB

Mrs. Charles A. Kelble opened her home to members of the Current Events Club for the October meeting Tuesday afternoon, fifteen club women enjoying her hospitality.

Several bouquets of the late flowers including some lovely dahlias which the frosts have left untouched were used by the hostess about the rooms. Mrs. Walter Currie and Mrs. Joseph Santmyer furnished the afternoon's program the former having for her theme, "Culinary Arts" and the latter reading a paper on "Domestic Arts." A refreshment course was served.

### RECEPTION FOR PUBLISHER AND BRIDE

Invitations have been issued by the Messrs. Harry Bell, Clarence Jones and Staunton Tafel for a reception to be held at the Piqua Golf Club Friday evening October 29, to meet Mr. and Mrs. C. Franklin Ridenour, whose marriage took place recently in the Little Church Around the Corner, New York.

Mr. Ridenour, a former Xenia newspaper man is publisher of the Piqua Daily Call. His bride was Miss Belle Lee of Atlanta, Ga.

### ANTIOCH SOPHS TO BANQUET FRESHMEN

Freshmen of Antioch College, Division B, will be guests of honor at a banquet to be given by the Sophomores in the college dining room Tuesday evening. President Arthur E. Morgan and Dean Phillip C. Nash will be the speakers.

### BOY SCOUT NEWS

Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America, at its regular meeting at Central High School Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock, will be confronted with the task of beginning registration for the coming year, according to Scoutmaster R. H. Kingsbury. The Scoutmaster asks for a full attendance that the matter of registration for 1927 can be brought more easily to a speedy conclusion.

### KIDDIES INVITED

There will be a surprise for the kiddies it is announced, at the Hallowe'en party to be given for the Juniors of the First Presbyterian Sunday School in the church social rooms Tuesday night. The hours will be from 7 to 9, and the young people are asked to appear in masquerade costume.

### ENTERTAINS CLUB

Miss Edna Bloom was hostess to the Travel Club at her home on W. Second St. Monday night, twelve members of the club enjoying the evening. Mrs. Hervey Bailey had as her guest at the party, her sister, Miss Elizabeth Gilmore of Wilkinsburg, Penn., who is a house guest at the Bailey home near Cedarville.

### WOMAN WRITER MARRIES

Announcement of the engagement of Mrs. Penelope Perrill, well known special writer on the staff of the Dayton Daily News to Dr. Gainer Jennings, of West Milton, has been announced. The marriage will be an event of the near future, it is said.

### GOLF MATCH

Students and faculty of Antioch College will engage in their annual fall golf match on the Xenia Country Club course Wednesday afternoon. Four or five foursomes are expected to participate.

Funeral services for Rita Ann, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Foody, will be held at his home Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Donovan, Cincinnati Ave, are the parents of a son born Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Higgins (Janice Owens) returned Sunday night from their ten days honeymoon trip.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Messenger, N. King St., had as their guests over Sunday, Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Cone, of Cincinnati.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First United Presbyterian Church, will meet at the home of Mrs. William Finlay, Chestnut St., Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allison, of E. Third St., are receiving congratulations over the birth of a son weighing twelve pounds, Saturday night.

Announcement is being made of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Agnor (Alma Carmen) of Pantersville. The baby weighed nine pounds.

Mrs. A. C. McCormick, worthy matron, Miss Florence Swan, junior past worthy matron of Aldora Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star and Mrs. Frank Snell went to Springfield Tuesday to represent Aldora Chapter, this city, at the state meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star. They will remain throughout the sessions. A large number of people from Xenia will attend the night sessions and other meetings of the convention. A special traction car will carry about twenty-five Xenia people to Springfield for the convention Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Haws have taken the apartment of Mrs. R. J. Kelly, Meredith Apartments, N. King St., while Mrs. Kelly is on her Egyptian tour. Mr. Haws is manual training teacher on the faculty of Central High School.

Miss Josephine Gilmore, who is a junior at the Western College, Oxford, spent the week end with her aunts, Mrs. Hervey Bailey and Miss Elizabeth Gilmore, of Wilkinsburg, Penn., at the Bailey home near Cedarville.

St. Agnes Guild will hold a meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Miss Bess Fulton, N. King St. Members are requested to bring the clothing they are contributing for the box to be shipped to the Episcopal mission at Lynnwood, Va.

The White Chapel Community Club is sponsoring a masque party at the White Chapel School, Friday evening at 7:30. A program will be rendered by pupils of the school assisted by a few numbers by the club. Those attending are asked to contribute pumpkin pie and sandwiches. The committee will furnish cider. Following the social a business session will be held and election of officers will take place.

Regular meeting of the McClelland W. C. T. U., originally scheduled for Wednesday, October 27, has been postponed until Thursday afternoon, October 28 at the same hour, on account of the funeral of Mr. John H. Harmer.

Willing Workers Class of New Willing will hold a Hallowe'en social at the home of Mrs. Ernest Huston, New Jasper Pike, Wednesday evening, October 27. Everybody is invited.

Members of Mrs. V. F. Brown's Sunday School class, Trinity Church were entertained at the home of Mrs. George C. Stokes, E. Church St., Monday evening.

Miss Irene Parrett had as her guests over the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Parrett, W. Third St., her roommate at the Western College, Oxford, Miss Mary Lucy Hale, of Kansas City and Miss Betty Burley, of St. Louis, another Western girl.

Mrs. O. G. Montgomery, of Atlanta, Ga., who has been spending the last four months in Detroit, has come to Xenia for a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. George, W. Second St., before returning South.

Mr. H. C. Messenger has returned from St. Louis where he attended a meeting of pediatricians and the clinics at the children's hospital.

Such details as setting a goal and date for the chest drive will ultimately be outlined by the new committee.

Delegates of the three organizations who have been named to attend the meeting include W. W. Galloway, George Geyer, Mrs. E. P. Hamlin, Dr. B. R. McClellan, and Karl R. Babb. Mrs. Charles Adair, who will be unable to attend, will send a substitute.

Major John W. Prugh, who, under a plan drafted by a committee, will be made chairman of the proposed executive committee, will preside at the meeting.

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## HAPPINESS IN WORK

The morning tells the intelligent man many things. Generally, it rules his day. If it starts wrong for him, the day is spoiled. A tired feeling or a headache in the morning tells him he is unwell or is burning the candle at both ends. A dislike, on the part of a healthy man, for beginning the work of the day is usually a sure indication he is not in the right physical and mental condition or not in the right place. There is something radically wrong with the habits, health or occupation of the worker who is not eager to tackle the problems and tasks of the day.

An honest man is entitled to happiness in his work. It is the one sure sign that he has found his true vocation. Love for one's work is as natural as love for one's family. Without it few succeed and none is contented.

Business brings joy to more people than any other occupation because it comes nearest to being universal. The business man is a builder in a larger sense than the laborer and tradesman and, while socially he is on the same plane with the professional man, his vocation does not require the long and costly preparation that is indispensable to the professions. Business is the school of the business man, but its curriculum is not mastered by all who essay it.

Communities owe more than they sometimes realize to that little inner circle of merchants, manufacturers and other business men who are progressive because they love their work and who by their own progressiveness cause the community to grow and prosper.

## LIKING FOR GOOD BOOKS

There is something disarming to the critical spirit, even at its fiercest, in the subject of children's reading. It is closely knit up with the most precious early memories of most parents and is one to which the parent with the well-being of the child at heart must give much serious thought during formative years.

At all times of the year there unwind before teachers, librarians and others acquainted with books a constant procession of frankly bewildered parents. Vaguely they feel that their children are not reading the right books and very often they lead a vain quest for those "right books."

It is more than possible that the puzzled parents are reading the wrong books themselves; but, urged on by a lovely and pathetic instinct akin to that impulse which causes fathers and mothers to slave and sacrifice for their children, they want their progeny to avoid their mistakes, read only the best books and be the better for it.

No parental persuasion is necessary to create in the child mind an interest in the fairy tale and the school boy and girl come naturally by their love for romance and adventure. It is adolescent youth that needs wise and tactful guidance in the selection of reading matter.

A fondness for good books doesn't just happen. It must be cultivated in the child, as well as in the adult who did not acquire it in its youth or lost it in the transition from youth to maturity. Homes with good libraries well-read by adult members of the family seldom are the scene of juvenile revolt against helpful reading.

## THE AGE OF ROADS

People say civilization rests on the home, the church, the school, or such inventions as the printing press, but how about roads?

Isn't the ability to move about, to exchange goods and ideas, the real secret of human progress? And what has done more than good roads to prompt this moving about and exchange of goods and ideas?

Roads stand for more than mere commercial prosperity.

It was the Roman road that held the Roman Empire together and made Roman law effective and by building good roads, England, centuries ago made it possible for her students to gather from afar to pursue their studies at Oxford and Cambridge.

By destroying provincialism and substituting sympathy and understanding for sectional hatred and distrust, and by inviting people to see and know their country and all its people, good roads are welding the United States into a solid, coherent nation.

Improved and maintained public roads are a relatively new institution in this country, although the Romans built them on a magnificent scale 2,000 years ago. The earliest roads in this country started as Indian trails or paths made by pioneer settlers. Military needs and expeditions brought some of these within the definition of a road. The first improved roads were built by private corporations which collected tolls from the traveler using them. In the cities the first pavements were made of cobblestones or flat flagstone.

Today one can travel by automobile over paved or carefully maintained roads from coast to coast and gulf to Canada and yet the tremendous mileage of good roads already constructed is but one-sixth of the national highway system.

## FIRE IN GROCERY MYSTERY SOURCE

for some time before going out. Origin of the blaze is a mystery.

## COLLEGE ELECTION

SPRINGFIELD, Oct. 25—Members of the senior class at Wittenberg College have elected to office the following: Pres., John W. Billings, of New Castle, Ind.; formerly of Lorain, O.; vice-president, Miss Florence Lerrick, of Minerva; secretary, Miss Mildred Wilson, of Crooksville; treasurer, Fred Otto, of Detroit, Mich.; sergeant-at-arms, Ernest R. Mullendore, of Indianapolis, Ind.

Billings has been prominent in work of the college Y. M. C. A. college musical and literary organizations.

## The Trotting Of Trotsky



## 1906-TWENTY YEARS AGO-1926

The Clendenen Construction Co., New York City, has contracted to build the Frey traction line from Springfield, Wilmington via Clifton, Cedarville and Jamestown, with a spur to Xenia from the main line between Cedarville and Jamestown.

Mr. M. A. Broadstone, the county recorder, left for a trip

to Chattanooga.

The Ohio Cordage Mill, which has been idle for some weeks, has again been put in operation making further demand for labor in this city.

Mr. Ben Piers, new physical director of the Y. M. C. A., is making arrangements for a business men's gym class this winter.

Harling hidden away in a garret in Greenwich Village, trying to do the greater and finer things and forced from time to time to try his hand at the music for a popular song. "Perhaps Frank will remember the day when he and Conroy attempted to conquer Broadway via Tin Pan Alley, and now Frank Harling is perhaps the most interesting young musician and composer in America. October 4, at the Imperial Theatre, told a story of success gained through hardship and striving."

FARM EXPOSITION TO FEATURE FIESTA

Hilarity music and mirth will reign supreme during the fourteenth annual Hallowe'en carnival to be held at Jamestown all day Monday, November 1, complete plans for which were disclosed Monday.

Exhibit of farm products, awarding of prizes and other events are scheduled for the morning. The afternoon program includes a band concert beginning at 1 o'clock, an ox roast at 2 p.m. and other athletic events, games and various amusements.

The grand masked parade will be held in the evening commencing at 6:30 o'clock. The queen of the carnival to be selected will lead the procession after which she will mount a throne, and surrounded by royalty preside over the remainder of the festivities.

Photoplay and book relationship has again been receiving the attention of the National Board of Review of Motion Pictures, in the preparation of its annual selected book-films list.

This list is issued each year in connection with the Observance of Motion Picture Book Week, which this season comes upon the dates of November 7 to November 13. The 1926 list is more complete than any of its predecessors for it contains not only the selected pictures adapted from published sources for the current year through September, but also all book-films still available for circulation which have been reviewed within the past four or five years.

Many good films have been produced which should not be limited to simply ephemeral presentation and especially is this true of book-films. The books from which they have been adapted remain in use—why not the films also?—this was the thought in the mind of the Better Films National Council of the National Board of Review when it issued an accumulative list for 1926 Motion Picture Book Week. This week coincides with the dates of Book Week sponsored by the National Association of Book Publishers, and American Education Week, approved by the National Education Association, so that it is a time when community groups will be alert for good pictures and good books.

Arthur Hopkins has broken his Sphinx-like silence with regard to the new American opera by Frank Harling and Lawrence Stallings, entitled Deep River, a critic announces. The critic recalls a Frank

brilliant list of fifty-five and one-hundred-dollar first-nighters are better judges of a "Reuben special" than they are of the chances of a dramatic opus.

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Here is brought together for the convenience of exhibitors, better films committees, libraries, schools and bookstores, a compilation of more than 400 book-films giving the title, book source and author, featured players, reels and distributor. These are compiled for use during Motion Picture Book Week and for year-around book-film tie-ups.

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"Black Velvet," tried out in Great Neck and mercilessly slashed by that wise and gay colony of connoisseurs, is doing a capacity business in Chicago at the Playhouse, which again proves that the

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When I'm busy cleaning On the second floor, There always comes a ringing At the front door.

When I'm sewing downstairs, My needles are up. I needs must leave the attic To let out the pup!

I might as well accept it With smiles, not frowns, Since life itself consists of Mostly ups and downs!

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# EXPLANATION OF PROPOSED DISTRICT LIBRARY GIVEN

Question of the creation of a county library district in Greene County will be submitted to voters at the regular election November 2.

Supporters of the proposal say the plan is designed to enable the entire county to obtain better library service and to obtain new books. It is proposed with the increased funds to start a form of circulating library with library book wagons touring the county.

In past years the library has been supported by an annual appropriation of County Commissioners of five hundredths of a mill within the ten-mill limit, which has amounted to about \$3,000, considered an inadequate amount.

To remedy similar situations existing over Ohio a law was recently passed providing for creation of county library districts by a majority vote of the people.

The local library wishes to take advantage of this law.

Under the new law a library board of trustees is appointed, composed of five members, all residents of the district. Two members are appointed by the Common Pleas Court judge and three by County Commissioners. Two members will be originally appointed for terms of one and four years respectively. The remaining three will be appointed for terms of two, three and

## SID HALLER, SON OF FORMER XENIANS ON CHICAGO TEAM

Sid Haller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haller, former Xenians, is playing quarterback position this Fall on the American College football eleven at Chicago, Ill., and is considered one of the most valuable members of the team.

He is taking a coaching and physical director's course at the college and is experienced along this line.

For the past two years, he was supervisor of athletics at Walnut Hill and Emerson playgrounds in Dayton, gaining the rank of junior.

Haller is considered an all-around athlete. He graduated from Stivers High School in Dayton in 1926.

In addition to becoming a regular member of the varsity football team at American College the former Xenian is a member of the Aquatic Club.

## BETTER BULL TRAIN IN DAYTON NOV. 4

A special train to be known as the "Better Bull Special," will be brought to Dayton, Thursday, November 4, by the Erie Railroad, in co-operation with Ohio State University, the four leading state and national dairy breeders' associations and the Montgomery and Greene County Farm Bureaus.

The train will consist of several cars of dairy exhibits and two carloads of purebred bulls of the four main breeds; Holstein, Guernsey, Jersey and Ayrshire, which will be for sale to those who wish to take advantage of the opportunity to secure a purebred bull at a reasonable price. The bulls to be shown are all from farms producing 450 to 500 pounds butter fat per year and are from nine to twelve months old, it is announced.

There will be interesting features for those visiting the bull special, arranged by different firms. These firms are extending the courtesy in the interest of better milk, more economical production and increased good health in the community.

The special train will be open to the general public from 9:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. and will be located opposite the Dayton union station.

## STATE WITNESSES HEARD AT TRIAL

CADIZ, O., Oct. 26.—With the calling of more state witnesses, all testifying to having heard frequent quarrels between Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webster, formerly of Steubenville and Columbus, the trial of Mrs. Webster, charged with the second-degree murder of her husband, got under way again here today. The case started Monday.

Webster was shot in the head while driving his automobile between here and Adena, last May. He was an active dry raider for three years. Mrs. Webster pleaded it was an accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hamilton, who were in the automobile with the Websters, were on the stand yesterday afternoon. They testified they saw nothing of the shooting.

## BOWLING

Criterions sprang a surprise by setting back the Fords in two out of three games in the Xenia Bowling League match Monday night, taking the final two after the Fords had won the opening game. Highley obtained the most pins for the winners and White led the attack of the Fords. Box score: Criterions.

Ford 174 198 162  
Roach 187 121 158  
Apgar 203 118 149  
Highley 160 221 199  
Hughes 159 148 189

Totals 883 806 852

Fords.  
W. C. Horner 208 139 130  
Leahy 183 175 158  
Dumby 159 118 140  
McPherson 189 141 165  
White 191 218 188

Totals 930 791 781

## VALENTINO'S BROTHER IN FILMS



Hollywood company proposes to make film star of Alberto Guglielmi, brother of Rudolph Valentino. Photo shows Alberto and a view of his late brother in a "sheik" role.

## "THIRTY THREE'S" TO FACE FAMOUS COLUMBUS SQUAD

## EPISCOPAL BISHOP TO SPEAK AT CHRIST CHURCH ON FRIDAY

Whether the "Thirty-threes" have benefited by their two weeks of enforced idleness will be determined in the Sunday afternoon gridiron struggle with the famous Columbus Firemen Spices at Cincinnati Ave. Park.

The Columbus eleven, recognized as central-Ohio's leading middleweight team, was scheduled for Sunday because of inability to book a game with the Springfield When Bulldogs, following the last Sunday postponement because of rain.

The Spices are represented this fall by leading high school, former college and semi-professional players of the central section of the state.

The team has lost but seven games in the last four years, running up a total of 553 points against opponents' 110 markers.

Thus the locals have their first victory of the current season to be recorded.

## POLICE GIVE FAIR WARNING TO BOYS

Police are preparing to curb the annual activities of mischievous boys with the approach of Hallowe'en.

Chief M. E. Graham issued his annual warning Tuesday with reference to malicious destruction of property and "practical jokes," advising boys that depredations will not be permitted at any time.

Offenders will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law, he warns.

## CLIFTON

A Hallowe'en Carnival, for the benefit of the Weekday Bible School, will be held Friday evening October 29th, 1926 from the residence of Warren Printz on North St. west to the Opera House which will be open.

Prizes are offered for best costumes. Food will be sold. The admission is ten cents. The Weekday Bible School is financed by the two Presbyterian Churches and public subscription.

Mrs. Blaine Spahr has been visiting in Xenia for several days this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Pharpant, on Monday, a son, Harold.

Mr. William Reed, who has been seriously ill at his son's home, has been moved to his own home on Clinton St.

Mrs. Flora Dailey, a resident of this place for many years, moved to Springfield last Wednesday to be with her sons, Wilbur and Irvin, who are employed there.

A birthday party was enjoyed by Gene Corry and five of his friends last Monday, he being eleven years old. Hallowe'en games were played.

Dr. and Mrs. Burnside, of the United Presbyterian Board of Ministerial Relief were guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. G. C. Webster, Sabbath.

Dr. Burnside preached a fine sermon at the United Presbyterian Church.

Miss Alice Danes and her sister, Mrs. Pullen, were visiting their sister at Chillicothe last week.

Thirteen women attended the Xenia Presbyterian last Thursday from Xenia to the local U. P. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Collins left last Friday for a week's visit with their son William and wife at Columbus, Ohio.

## L.O.O.M. MEETS

Important business will be transacted at the regular meeting of the Loyal Order of Moose to be held Wednesday evening October 27 at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served. All members are urged to attend.

Box 13, Care Gazette Office.

## CHARLES W. PEPPER DIES AT OREGONIA

Charles W. Pepper, 56, former resident of Greene County, died at his home in Oregonia Monday night, according to word received by local relatives and friends. His death followed an illness of several months duration from a complication of ailments.

Examination has shown her only external injuries consist of a deep cut on the nose and bruises. She did not sustain a fractured skull as was first thought.

Continued improvement was noted Tuesday in the condition of Mrs. Hattie Washington, 70, colored, seriously injured when she was struck by a "hit-and-run" motorist Saturday night. The driver proceeded without stopping and a search has proved unavailing.

Dr. J. R. Moore, attending physician, declares Mrs. Washington will continue to improve unless internal injuries which she probably sustained, do not materialize into something more serious.

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He is survived by his widow, who was formerly Miss Irene Kinsey of Spring Valley and two sons, Frank and Beall of Columbus.

Funeral services will be held at the home in Oregonia Thursday at 10 a.m. and interment will be made in LeBaron Cemetery.

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## SWIFT

sure death to rats only

K-R-O kills rats only, kills them quickly, and safely. In severe tests poultry, dogs, cats and other domestic animals were fed heavy doses, without injury. Made from squirrel oil. They tone up and regulate the eliminative tract. Not a nasty cathartic or a habit-forming medicine, but a safe pleasant remedy for constipation, sour stomach, torpid liver, bad breath, and similar disorders. Dr. Edwards, a widely known family physician of Ohio, prescribed these tablets for many years in his own practice. Children from six years up are greatly helped by them and like to take them. Recognized by their olive color, Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets overcome those irritable spells that many children are subject to, keep their bodies in active healthy condition, skin clear and eyes bright with the light of perfect health. 15c, 30c and 60c sizes.

Terms—Cash

Col. Carl L. Taylor, Auct.

O. S. HARGRAVE

Assignee of Jacob Hargrave.

Lunch by Ladies Aid of Bowersville M. E. Church

## BOMB FOUND IN CASE IN NEW YORK COURTS

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—An infernal machine charged with enough dynamite to blow up the building was found on a window ledge of the county clerk's office, on the ground floor of the court house today.

The bomb was contained in a cheap suitcase and was equipped with a clock-like mechanism, which had not been set.

It was fashioned of dynamite and had evidently been made by someone familiar with such things.

The suitcase was discovered on the window ledge by Frank Duval, a title examiner, who notified other officials. The achine was sent to the bureau of combustibles.

Inspector Calahan, of the bureau of combustibles, said there was enough dynamite to blow up the court house "and probably several other buildings."

Bomb squad detectives expressed the belief that this bomb would have done as much damage as the one which caused the famous Wall Street explosion of 1920, in front of the sub-treasury and the Morgan offices.

The plan would necessitate a slight re-adjustment of taxes over the county. In districts where the fifteen-mill limit is entirely used up, taxes will not be increased even though amount. In the remaining districts taxes will be boosted slightly.

Sugarcreek and Cedarville Townships will not vote on the proposal, having declined to be considered in the district because of local libraries.

Under the district library law the board of trustees will submit an annual budget to the County Budget Commission, thus eliminating the annual appropriation of County Commissioners, for the library fund.

The budget must not be less than two-tenths of a mill or \$2 per \$10,000 property valuation, nor more than one mill and it is the intention, library supporters say, not to ask for more than this minimum amount every year. It is understood the budget commission must approve this minimum amount. If a larger levy should be asked for, the commission has the power to cut the request to the minimum.

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# Classified Advertising Page

THE EVENING GAZETTE, XENIA, OHIO, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1926

"I FOUND JUST WHAT I WANT.  
ED," SAID HE; "A CLASSIFIED  
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## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES

Daily Rate Per Line for Consecutive Insertions.

Insertions ..... Cash Charge

Three days ..... .07 .08

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The Gazette and Republic can maintain a staff of clerks ever ready to perform service and render advice on all kinds of advertising.

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The publishers will be responsible for any incorrect insertion of any advertisement. Classified Ads will be received until 8:30 a.m. for publication the same day.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Card of Thanks.  
In Memoriam.  
Florists, Monuments.

Taxis Service.

Notices, Meetings.

Lost and Found.

## BUSINESS CARDS

Cleaning, Pressing, Laundering.

Dressing, Millinery.

Beauty Culture.

Automobile Services.

Roofing, Plumbing, Heating.

Electricians, Wiring.

Building, Contracting.

Painting, Papering.

Repairing, Refinishing.

Moving, Packing, Storage.

## EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Male.

Help Wanted—Female.

Help Wanted—Male or Female.

Help Wanted—Agents—Salesmen.

Situations Wanted.

Help Wanted—Instruction.

LIVE STOCK—POULTRY—PETS

Dogs—Cats—Pets.

Poultry—Eggs—Supplies.

Horses—Cattle—Hogs.

## MISCELLANEOUS

Wanted To Buy.

Miscellaneous For Sale.

Musical Instruments—Radio.

Antique Goods.

Wearing Apparel—Shoes.

Groceries—Meats.

## RENTALS

Where To Eat.

Rooms With Board.

Houses For Rent—Furnished.

Houses—Flats—Unfurnished.

Houses—Flats—Furnished.

Offices and Work Rooms.

Miscellaneous For Rent.

Wanted To Rent.

## REAL ESTATE

Houses For Sale.

Lots For Sale.

Land For Exchange.

Rooms For Sale.

Business Opportunities.

Wanted—Real Estate.

## AUTOMOTIVE

Automobile Insurance.

Auto Leasing—Renting.

Auto Parts—Batteries.

Parts—Service—Repairing.

Motorcycles—Bicycles.

Auto Agencies.

Used Cars for Sale.

## PUBLIC SALES

Auctions.

Auction Sales.

## FLORISTS, MONUMENTS

Cut Flowers—Dahlias, all colors.

R. C. Douglas, Phone 542-W.

## DRESSMAKING, MILLINERY

Millinery.

Hand-Stitching—Cotton or thread.

Furnishings, silk or cotton.

Miss George King, Bellbrook Ave.

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Expert Gunsmith.

Fireman, Room 601 W. Second St.

## HELP WANTED—MALE OR FEMALE

Just now.

You NEED THEM NOW!—Gas

fuels, stove pipe, collars, elbows,

turpene and blue brushes, iron

cements for patching holes, soap

destroyer for cleaning clothes,

and pots without taking them

down, mineral wool, asbestos

sheet, asbestos plaster, pipe cov-

ering and rope wick. The Buck-

ing Co., Phone 360.

## ELECTRICIANS, WIRING

13

Starter—Generator, magneto

service—Xenia Storage Battery

## REPAIRING, REFINISHING

10

Furniture—finished in genuine

leather, upholstering or refinishing

of furniture. Only quality

work. Fred E. Graham Co.

## MOVING, PACKING, STORAGE

17

Storage—For household

goods, merchandise, machinery,

and dead storage of automobiles.

Phone Leland Cramer,

Street or 130, Xenia.

## HELP WANTED—MALE

18

Experienced—Farm hand by

the month, house furnished. Call

Nelson Ankeney, 2 miles north of

Trebeins.

## HELP WANTED—MALE OR FEMALE

20

Solicitors—Greene County Auto-

mobile Club. Apply in person

for Mr. Belden.

## POULTRY, EGGS, SUPPLIES

25

Barred Plymouth—Rock cock-

rels. Large and fine barred.

Mrs. Ed. St. Rous, Phone 4068-5.

## APRIL HATCHED

26

Barred Rock

pullets, mash and free range

reared. From high producing

stock. Call 2½ on 178, Cedar-

## HELPS WANTED—MALE OR FEMALE

20

Two GUERNSEY—Bulls: one 1

year old and one two months old.

Apply G. C. Bales, 1890 W. Sec-

ond St.

## HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS

28

Delaine—Breeding ewes. E.

L. Stormont, Cedarville, Phone

4-162.

## SHROPSHIRE

29

Ewes—9 ewes and 9 ewe

lambs. Call 4078-4.

## MULES

30

Two dandies. Price rea-

sonable. John Harbine, Allen

Building, Telephone.

## HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS

32

We are now Culling and blood

testing pigs.

Call 4017-4 after

5 p.m.

## MODERN FIVE ROOM APART-

MENT

Centrally located, with

electricity, soft water,

large fire and back porch.

Phone 1328.

## GROCERIES, MEATS

32

New Sauer Kraut—Home made

mince meat; fresh oysters, the

kind that's good at Fisher's

grocery.

## WHERE TO EAT

33

Boarders—Wanted Cincinnati

Ave. opposite Ringer's Ball Park.

## HOUSES, FLATS, UNFURNISHED

37

Rent \$20.00—House 7 rooms.

A. W. Treseis, Citizens National

Bank Bldg., up-stairs. Phone

161.

## ROOM

Modern house for rent,

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Modern Five Room Apartment

Centralized, with

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Unfurnished apartment:

# Gazette-Republican Comic And Feature Page

THE DUMBUNNIES—Watch Your Step, Dad!

By ALBERTINE RANDALL



## GIRLIETTES



## ETTA KETT



by Robinson



## Goofy Dust



## SKIPPY



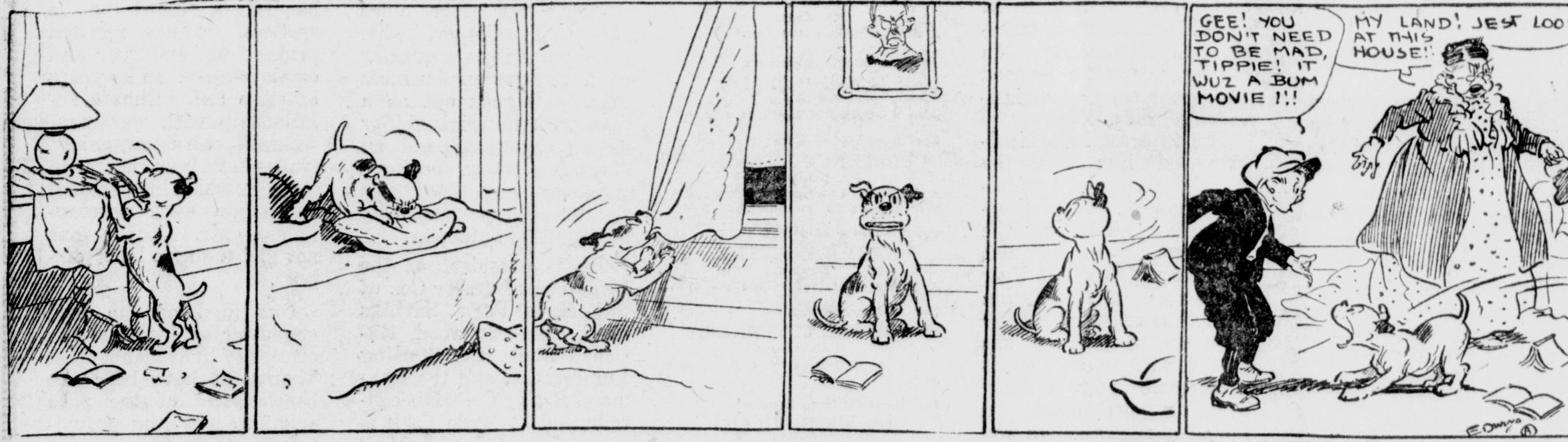
By Percy Crosby

## That's Not the Half of It



"CAP" STUBBS—Tippie Didn't Miss A Thing

By Edwina



THE WORST IS YET TO COME

## THE GUMPS—THE WAR IS ON

**PARADISE HEIGHTS**

**THE CO-OPERATIVE SUBDIVISION**

**LOTS \$250.00**

(EASY PAYMENTS)

A SMALL DOWN PAYMENT IS ALL YOU NEED TO BUILD YOUR LOVE NEST IN GUMP'S PARADISE VISTA

DON'T BE CHEATED!

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250 SHARES OF STOCK FREE WITH EACH LOT

"LIVE ON THE HEIGHTS"

SIDNEY SMITH

I CAN BARELY BREAK EVEN SELLING LOTS FOR \$500.00 AND HE'S OFFERING THEM FOR \$250.00—if I LET HIM GET AWAY WITH IT, HE'LL RUIN MY SUBDIVISION BEFORE THE SUCKERS FIND OUT THE ONLY THING THEY ARE TO GET FOR THEIR MONEY IS EXPERIENCE.

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## MOTHER SENTIMENT IN LIBRARY VOICED

Three rural mothers of Greene County have written the following letter of endorsement of the proposed library district:

To the Board of Governors of the Greene County Library:

1. Speaking for mothers in rural communities who desire to have Greene County take advantage of the new law.

2. World problems, problems concerning humanity must be solved by the coming generations. They must have knowledge as wide as their horizon and culture as pervasive as the atmosphere they breathe.

3. The county library district safeguards the interests and the rights of boys and girls in the leading commonwealth of the union. These promising young people are entitled to the very best of the best, from the best.

4. All of the mothers have an opportunity to help in this vote. Think of your children, of your neighbor's child. Think of the rural schools what a help this library will be to the patient teacher, her pupils and the homes represented in these places of learning.

5. An inexhaustible mine of pleasure is open for the boy or girl who loves good books and has access to them. Without effort on the part of the parent they are kept at home and are free from the company of the idle and vicious, but instead these young people are storing their minds with useful knowledge. They are being taught higher ideals and more noble purposes.

Thus they develop into men and women who are an honor to their parents and worthy citizens of our great republic.

(Signed) Three Rural Mothers of Greene County."

JAMESTOWN

CLUB MEETS

Mrs. J. A. Bevan opened her home to receive the members of the Advance Club for their semi-monthly meeting. The topic for discussion was the "Land of the Vikings." Responses to roll call were "Chaff." Mrs. L. S. Farquhar, "Royal Families of Norway and Sweden." Mrs. Frazier, "Customs and Industries;" Mrs. Thompson, "Timeless Topics;" Mrs. J. A. Carpenter, "Belgium." Beautiful dahlias of different varieties were used in profusion about the rooms. These blooms were also given as favors by the hostess. Miss Luella Brewster, the house guest of Mrs. L. L. Gray, was the guest of the club.

Mrs. Volney Conklin has had for her guests, Mrs. Edith Curl and daughter, Miss Jane, of Xenia.

The teacher of the Silver Ridge School, Mr. Harry Boring, with his pupils, gave an entertainment on Tuesday evening at the school building. An enjoyable program was rendered and refreshments served. This was given for a benefit for basketball equipment.

Miss Elizabeth West, of Yellow Springs, has been visiting with her cousin, Mrs. J. Q. McClain and other relatives in the vicinity.

Mrs. Robert Harmount spent several days in Dayton last week with Mr. Harmount, who is employed there.

Mrs. Dena McDill, bookkeeper at the office of the Adams and Thuma Company, is spending her vacation at

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## STATE EASTERN STAR CONVENTION HELD AT SPRINGFIELD

The thirty-seventh annual state convention of the Order of the Eastern Star opened in Springfield with a formal banquet in the Hotel Bancroft, Monday night. Grand officers of the Ohio chapter were guests of Home City and Norris Chapters, Springfield, at the affair. Covers were laid for fifty-eight. Mrs. Ethel E. Webster of Springfield, deputy grand matron of the eighteenth district, presided. A formal dance and entertainment at Rickley Memorial Home followed the banquet.

The opening business session of the convention was held Wednesday morning at Memorial Hall with Mrs. Elizabeth Hood of Cleveland, worthy grand matron of Ohio, presiding.

Tuesday afternoon the visitors were taken on a sightseeing tour to the Masonic Home. About 1,000 persons took this trip. A reception for the delegates and visitors will be held at the home from 4 until 6.

Official opening of the grand chapter by the grand officers will take place Tuesday evening at 7:30 in Memorial Hall. A pageant will be presented as a feature of the evening meeting. Election of officers will take place Wednesday afternoon. Eight hundred persons are expected to be seated at the banquet at the Hotel Shawnee Wednesday night.

### YELLOW SPRINGS

Dayton St. from Walnut to the railroad was the gayest spot in Yellow Springs Friday evening when the annual Library Benefit Carnival took place. The crowd this year beat all records in the past there being over 1500 passing through the gates. The ladies began serving lunch at 5 o'clock in the evening and were kept busy until 8 o'clock when the grand march began. The thirty-eight piece band from the O. S. and S. O. Home in Xenia furnished the music for the evening. Prizes were awarded for costumes of different styles and athletic events. The receipts of the evening totaled over \$400.00. This amount will be used toward the expenses of the public library. The Yellow Springs Civic Club assisted the library committee in making this carnival a big success.

The Miami Grange will give a Hallowe'en party in their hall on Dayton St. Friday evening. Members must come masked or pay a fine.

The members of the Westminster Bible Class of the Presbyterian Church, of which Miss Florence Williams is teacher, had a Hallowe'en party at the home of Miss Leora Dickman, Wednesday evening. There were thirty present. Prizes were awarded to Miss Marian Whiting, prettiest costume. Mrs. Charles Lee who was declared to be wearing the ugliest costume and to Mrs. Allan C. Swinerton for the best character costume. Refreshments in keeping with the Hallowe'en season were served.

The W. F. M. S. of the Methodist Church will hold an all day market Saturday in the Phillips building on Xenia avenue. Market will open at 10:30.

Mr. S. S. Puckett a former resident of this place, now residing in Michigan, was here Wednesday calling on old friends.

Mrs. W. J. Currie is visiting relatives in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Currey returned Friday from Cincinnati where they spent a few days.

Miss Clara Zell, Miss Florence Johnson, Gene Thompson and Ernest Johnson motored to Ada, Sunday, where they visited William Erbaugh.

Miss Margaret Elizabeth Legge of Springfield, spent the week end with Miss Florence McCurdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Speaks and daughter Alice and Paul Counts of Springfield spent Sunday with Mrs. Norah Fry and Miss Edith Fry.

Mrs. Ralph Figgins gave an afternoon party Saturday in honor of her little daughter Joan's eighth birthday. There were fourteen little folks present. The afternoon was spent in games. The decorations were orange and black. Refreshments of jello and cake were served to the following guests, Esther Weiss, Dorothy Geger, Mary Smith, Doris Shook, Martha Dell, DeMerle Coffman, Julia Jane and Kathleen Littleton, Carolyn Ellis, Betty Brenner, Betty Dunevant and Ruth Littleton of Springfield.

### Saves Two Lives



National Girl Scout council has awarded heroine medal to Sarah Britton, 15, Kenosha, Wis., school girl, for saving two girls from drowning in Lake Michigan.

### THE OLD HOME TOWN



### BOYS BIGGER MORAL PROBLEM THAN FLAPPERS: SCIENTIST FINDS; INDUSTRIAL AGE BLAME SAID



MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 26—

Quit worrying about the flapper and pay some attention to your growing boy. He is society's biggest problem today.

That is the advice of J. L. Gillin, noted sociologist of the University of Wisconsin, who weighs the youth problem with figures gathered by the scientist, and who knows that such things as the "jazz age" are the results of very definite causes.

"In 1910 eight boys to one girl

were committed to correctional institutions, while in 1923, 11 boys to one girl were committed. That's why we know more boys than girls are going wrong," he continued.

**Explains Changing Conditions.**

"The old conditions which surrounded boys have passed away."

Dr. Gillin began in picturing modern social influences which bear upon boys. "Once the youth worked in his father's shop or on his father's farm in close and intimate association with his elders. Today our industrial life thrusts him into a shop where his associates are boys of his own age mingled with a few older men who have no stake in his moral and social development. His home is only a roosting place.

"Moreover, since he is working at a salary, he has more money to spend during his adolescent period than ever before. The way in which he should spend that money is not determined by family ideals as it once was.

"Old neighborhood influences have been supplemented by commercial amusements. Evil elements in society have tied up with these places of amusement for their own purposes. Consequently even the relaxation of youth is fraught with danger."

Professor Gillin also calls attention to the disruptive influence exerted upon the moral standards of youth by cynicism and self-indulgence of older men.

To remodel methods of dealing with adolescent youths so as to make them fit with the new economic and social order, he suggests the following program:

"Employers can take the proper attitude toward boys of working age who are in their employ. These employers of labor can make men as well as articles of commerce.

**Must Understand Boys.**

"Even more important is it that parents, teachers and all others who have to do with adolescent boys should understand them. A boy is, perhaps the most misunderstood being on earth. He needs sympathy which comes from understanding rather than jibes and repressive measures. Adolescent boys are the incarnation of idealism.

"In order to change conditions which are making bad boys today we must introduce the understanding heart into industry, into our homes, into our schools, into our

### SLANG NOT DEGENERATION SIGN, LANGUAGE RICHER

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Slang is all right, according to Professor G. R. Potter, of the University of California English department.

"Slang is not the sign of a degeneration of the tongue," the professor asserted. "It is a development of expression which enriches rather than cheapens the language."

Shakespeare used slang words and phrases in his writings, Professor Potter contended, and so did O. Henry and a number of other writers whose productions are now considered the classics of literature.

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### MORE ENDORSEMENTS OF LIBRARY GIVEN

The proposed Greene County library district continues to receive endorsements from organizations all over the county, the following having recently been added to the list:

"The High School Aid of the centralized schools of Spring Valley township.

Auxiliary of Joseph P. Food Post, American Legion.

Alpha Theta Chapter, Delta Theta Sorority.

County lodges of the Daughters of America.

Dorcas Missionary Society and various other missionary societies of the city and county.

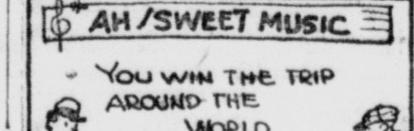
stantly to express the feelings of the people." Professor Potter declared. "Many colloquialisms and phrases are more workable and vivid than those grammatically sanctioned."

"Grammar is not scientific and it is natural that it changes according to the times. Of course, many of the slang expressions of the day soon die, but the really worthwhile ones, those which best express a certain thought, live and become incorporated into the language."

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### ARREST SUSPECTS IN POLICE MURDER

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CHILLICOTHE, O., Oct. 28—John and Montrose Hickman, Columbus, wanted for questioning in connection with the shooting to death of Policeman Dan Garrett here on the night of October 14, arrested near Point Pleasant, W. Va., will be brought back here today Sheriff Fred Immel and Acting Police Chief Philip Kelm left early this morning for the fugitives. Before leaving, the officials indicated the Ross County grand jury now in recess, may be recon-

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## HALLOWE'EN MARDI GRAS TO BE "BIGGER THAN EVER," PLAN

Complete plans for the second annual Hallowe'en carnival and celebration in Xenia Saturday night, October 30, sponsored by the Xenia Municipal Band with co-operation of the Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs, were formulated Monday.

A list of forty costumes and character impersonations for which Xenia merchants are offering prizes, is being announced.

It is the intention of its spon-

sors to make this year's gala celebra-

tion more pretentious than

ever before, exceeding every past

carnival of its kind.

The festivities will center at the south lawn of the Court House, where a reviewing stand will be erected. Costumed characters will pass in review before a list of judges who will be announced later, and prizes will be awarded on the basis of the decisions of these judges.

Space between Detroit and Green Sts. will probably be roped off and given over entirely to the celebrators.

The list of best costumed individual types for which forty prizes will be given, follows:

Best dressed woman over twenty, best dressed girl between fourteen and twenty, best dressed girl under fourteen, most comically dressed woman over twenty, most comically dressed girl between

fourteen and twenty, most comically dressed girl under fourteen, best characterization by woman over twenty, by girl between fourteen and twenty, and by girl under fourteen.

Best dressed man over twenty, boy between fourteen and twenty, boy under fourteen; most comic man over twenty, boy between fourteen and twenty, boy under fourteen; best characterization by man over twenty, boy between fourteen and twenty, boy under fourteen.

In the free-for-all events, prizes will be awarded for the tallest man and woman, fattest man and woman, shortest man and woman, characterization of Martha Washington, Charlie Chaplin, an Indian, cowboy, Red Cross nurse, clown, hobo, policeman, Rudolph Valentino, colored man, colored woman, Jino Chinaman, Witch, Spanish man, Spanish woman, Devil and ghost.

## BARRED FROM OHIO

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The Ohio state insurance department acted within its constitutional powers in barring the Palmetto Fire Insurance Company from doing business within the state because it entered into a contract with the Chrysler Motor Company to insure automobiles against fire and theft wherever sold, the supreme court decided.

The Ohio superintendent of insurance acted under a state law prohibiting the placing of insurance on a property within the state except through a resident agent.

## SNOW HILL CADDY HOUSE DESTROYED

The caddy house at the Snow Hill Country Club, Wilmington, was burned by fire of unknown origin between 5 and 6 o'clock Friday evening, entailing a loss of approximately \$4,000, of which \$1,100 was sustained by John Lamb, club professional, in clubs and other golfing paraphernalia. Included in Lamb's loss was a

shipment of clubs valued at \$500 which had arrived at the caddy house Friday morning. The other outfit belonged to members of the club, including about sixty bags that had been stored there and left for cleaning. No insurance was carried.

## SHOT BY RELATIVE

TILTONVILLE, O., Oct. 26.—John Checco, Steubenville, was fatally shot at the home of his father-in-

law, Angelo Caluso, here early today, when, according to Checco's wife and her mother, he came home intoxicated and threatened to kill them. Caluso is held in jail. Checco died en route to a Martins Ferry hospital.

## GAME WARDEN GETS DATA ON LOCAL FISH

Interesting statistics of the total number of different forms of fish

and game consigned to Greene County by the state and distributed during the past four years, are contained in a letter received by District Game Warden Karl L. Keller from D. O. Thompson, chief of the division of fish and game.

The report covers the period from 1923 to 1926.

According to these figures, 399-194 represents the total number of fish distributed in Greene County streams during the past four years. A total of 541 pheasants and 1,000 pheasant eggs have also been as-

signed to this county during that period.

Greene County has received twenty-seven rabbits so far in 1926.

Mr. Keller announces that the open season for pheasant hunting begins November 15 and continues to November 25, inclusive, providing ten days of hunting. Hunters must obtain licenses, he says.

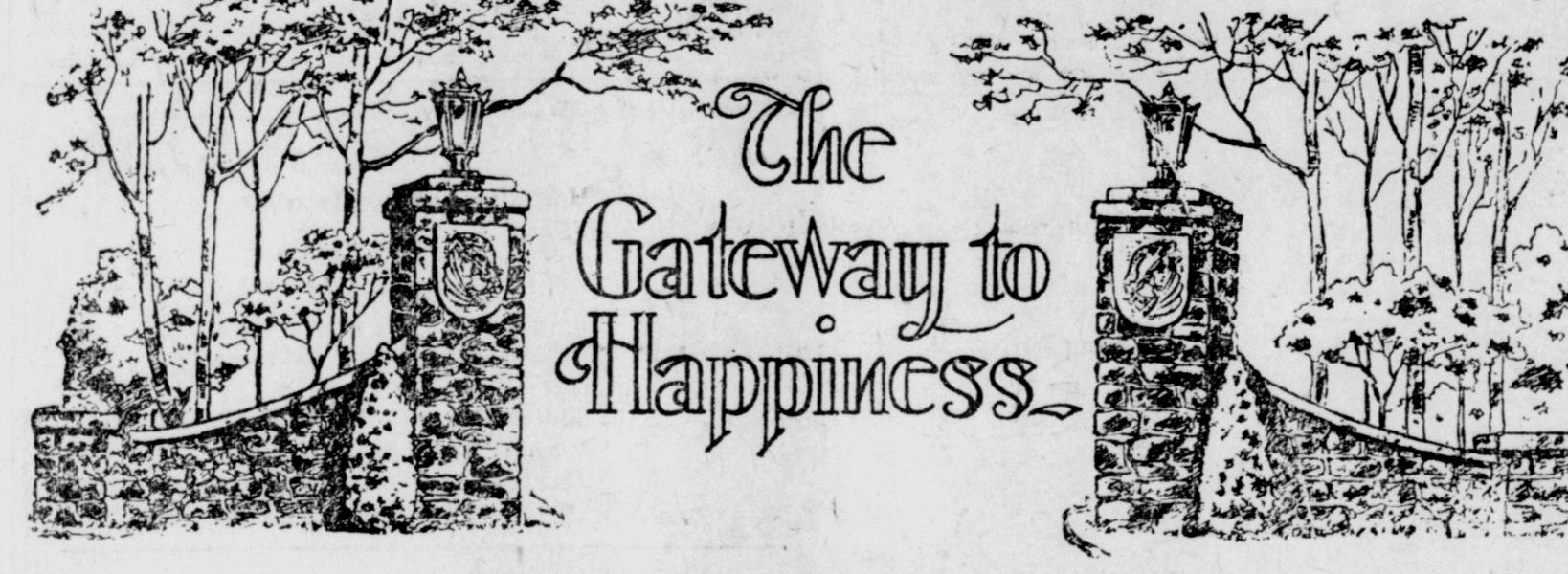
The game warden announces this form of game will be plentiful in all parts of Greene County this season.



Boiled food that is scorched may often be removed by dropping a piece of charcoal into the kettle and letting it stand a while.

By Beck

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BED ROOM		
Includes a 2-inch continuous poster metal bed, full size, enameled, walnut, link fabric steel springs, brown japanned, a 45 lb. cotton top mattress and 1 pair of feather pillows, 9x12 Bed Room Rug. Good sized walnut finished dresser. This is a very practical and economical Bed Room outfit.		
KITCHEN		
Includes gas range, 9x12 Felt Base floor covering, porcelain top kitchen table with four white enameled chairs to match. The dainty little kitchen is very practical as it includes the necessary pieces for dining.		
TERMS-\$2.50 Per Week		

Four Outfit No. 2	<b>\$294</b>	Rooms
LIVING ROOM		
Includes a fine three-piece overstuffed suite, upholstered in good grade of velour, strictly guaranteed; Room size rug, an English designed Davenport table mahogany finish, also an artistic lamp base with Silk Shade.		
DINING ROOM		
A very wonderful five-piece decorated breakfast suite, gate leg style, 9x12 rug to harmonize.		
BED ROOM		
Includes a full sized 2-inch continuous poster metal bed, enameled walnut link fabric spring, brown japanned, 45 lb. 100 per cent cotton mattress, large dresser to match in walnut finish, a fine bed room rug is also included in this outfit.		
KITCHEN		
Includes a good gas range, 9x12 Felt Base floor covering, porcelain top table and two white enameled chairs to match.		
TERMS-\$3.50 Per Week		

Four Rooms Outfit No. 3	<b>\$525</b>	Deluxe Easy Terms
LIVING ROOM		
Includes three piece overstuffed suite covered all over in good velour, 9x12 Rug, mahogany finished davenport table, mahogany finished end table, a table lamp, bridge lamp, junior lamp, table cover and a pair of book ends included in this room.		
DINING ROOM		
8 piece dining room suite, consisting of buffet with mirror, oblong table and six chairs. A 9x12 rug and a 50 piece set of dishes included in this room.		
BED ROOM		
A handsome 3 piece walnut veneered bed room suite consisting of bed, chiffonier and large dresser finished French walnut. Included in this room is a 9x12 rug, spring, 45 lb. 100 per cent cotton mattress, pair of Pillows and a bed lamp.		
KITCHEN		
Includes a table gas range, all enameled black and white, 9x12 felt base floor covering, oak kitchen cabinet and two white enameled kitchen chairs.		
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# SLUGGER STRIKES AGAIN

## REPORT THAT MARIE ORDERED HOME BY HUBBY PERSISTS

Queen At Niagara Unperturbed By Mystery Air

ABOARD QUEEN MARIE'S SPECIAL TRAIN AT NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., Oct. 26.—Amidst an atmosphere of intrigue rivaling a Balkan political convention, Queen Marie, of Rumania, left the land of democracy today for an excursion into Canadian territory.

While the glories of the world's greatest waterfall were unfolded to her majesty's eyes, whisperings and rumors of various sorts filled the corridors of the eleven-car royal train.

The bubbles which simmered the loudest eddied about the report that Queen Marie had been called back to Rumania by King Ferdinand. A specific denial of this was issued through one of her majesty's spokesmen. Nevertheless, mysterious conferences were held in the royal section of the train. The Rumanian secret service man aboard also showed exceeding activity.

Her majesty, with cold improved, left American hospitality for a few days with a beautiful "slave bracelet" clasped to her shapely wrist. The jewelry was a gift from the city of Buffalo. It was of white gold, studded with jade and cost the city of fathers \$175.

The Buffalo city council went to considerable trouble to give her majesty a royal reception. They even wired the royal party if dress suits and high hats would be the proper uniform. A royal attache wired back that it was "customary" and the welcoming committee appeared faultlessly attired. Even the waiters at the royal dinner wore white gloves.

## FORTUNE IN JEWELS STOLEN AT TOLEDO FROM EAST BROKER

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 26.—A trunk containing \$100,000 worth of diamonds was unfastened of its contents here early yesterday morning by three thieves, according to the owner, Jack Klovile, a diamond broker of New York City.

Klovile had checked the trunk at Buffalo Sunday for Toledo, he claims. When he called at the union station baggage room for it, he was informed that it had disappeared.

Later the management of the hotel where Klovile was staying found the empty trunk in one of its rooms. This room had been assigned to John Jones, Harry Clark and George Jones, of Duluth. They had fled.

Police say that the thieves had trailed Klovile and had switched baggage checks in such a manner as to give them possession of it.

Klovile, who is connected with the firm of Klovile Brothers, 195 Broadway, declared the gems were insured.

## TORNADO STRIKES NEW JERSEY CITY

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 26.—A trail of ruin and wreckage was left in the wake of a tornado which descended on this city and suburbs yesterday, demolishing buildings, uprooting trees and causing slight injuries to several persons who were showered with debris and blown off their feet.

The "twister" swept a narrow path through outlying sections and struck the residential districts, where it wreaked the heaviest damage. It lasted five minutes, appearing from the north and disappearing in a south-easterly direction.

## HOUDINI SERIOUS AFTER OPERATION

DETROIT, Oct. 26—Harry Houdini, world-famous magician, still was in serious condition today after an operation for acute appendicitis yesterday.

Attending physicians announced that his recovery was doubtful. They explained that the appendix had ruptured far over on the left side of the abdomen and a streptococcal peritonitis had developed.

Houdini collapsed at the conclusion of Sunday night's performance. He appeared in the show against his physician's advice, rather than disappoint a capacity crowd.



Commands Finns

Finland is building up a strong force to protect its frontiers. Maj. Gen. Aarne Siivu is now commander of army.

## EARTHQUAKE SHOCK REPORTED IN RUSSIA, NEW YORK AND WEST

LENINGRAD, Oct. 26.—The seismographic station today reported severe earthquake shocks were registered yesterday. The disturbance was believed to have taken place somewhere in the region of the Caucasus and the shocks were said to have been even stronger than those which occurred in Armenia on Saturday.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Two earthquake shocks were registered during the night, the Fordham University seismograph showed today.

The first, at 10:57 last evening, was at a distance of approximately 7,500 miles from New York. The second, at 1:20 this morning, could not be located because of disturbances in the air.

DENVER, Oct. 26.—An examination of the Regis College seismograph record at eight o'clock this morning revealed, according to Father A. W. Forestall, seismologist, earth shocks of forty-five minutes duration starting at 10:12 p. m. The maximum was reached at 10:30, ending at 10:57. The distance was estimated at between five and six thousand miles in a westerly direction. The shock was of the second magnitude, though not very prominent, due to the great distance.

## STATE'S SMALLEST RAILROAD SUES

STEUBENVILLE, O., Oct. 26.—What is believed to be Ohio's smallest railroad, the three-mile Toronto, Knoxville and Western extending from the Ohio River at Toronto to a coal mine near Knoxville, has a suit on file in the common pleas court of Jefferson County here in effort to have its tax-attributable valuation reduced.

Defendants in the suit are the Tax Commission of Ohio and the auditor of Jefferson County.

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The Yorkville bank failed in May, it being alleged that the three indicted men issued a fraudulent certificate of deposit for \$50,000 to the Cleveland bank on the Yorkville institution.

Attorneys for Francis and Balknap declared that, in view of the restitution, their clients are now only technically charged.

Thomas Jones, the other alleged signer of the certificate, was before the grand jury today explaining the details that led up to the closing of the bank and the alleged shortage of about \$80,000 of the funds.

## RELATIVES PAY NOTE BANK PROBE SHOWS AT STEUBENVILLE

STEUBENVILLE, Oct. 26.—A \$50,000 note held by the Guardian Trust Company of Cleveland has been paid off by relatives of W. B. Francis, former congressman, and John C. Balknap, former probate judge, attorneys for the two men, indicted jointly with Thomas S. Jones in connection with the failure of the Yorkville bank, announced today.

Jones was formerly president of the Yorkville bank.

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## SUPREME COURT TO UPHOLD PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The power of the president to remove a federal officer without the consent of the senate was sustained by the supreme court yesterday, thus ending a dispute as to constitutional rights that has waged between the legislative and executive branches of the government for half a century.

The decision was handed down in the case of Frank S. Myers, now deceased, former postmaster at Portland, Oregon. Myers was appointed by President Wilson in 1917 and removed from office three years later, without the consent of the senate. Because his appointment had to be confirmed by the senate, his heirs contend in a suit for back-pay that his removal without the senate's consent was not constitutional.

Chief Justice Taft delivered the opinion.

## REOPEN MINE

BRIDGEPORT, O., Oct. 26.—The Youghalheny and Ohio Coal Company, one of the largest in the state, will reopen its Boggs mine at Barton next Monday, after being idle two years.

All but one of the larger mines in Eastern Ohio will be in operation, making approximately 13,000 of the 15,000 miners at work. Other industries are being seriously affected by the men going back to the mines.

The first truck was going south on Collier St. and the H. and A. truck east on Second St.

## DENY REPORT

VIENNA, Oct. 26.—The Rumanian government has issued an official denial of reports that King Ferdinand has cabled to Queen Marie to return home because of American criticisms of her tour, it was reported here today.

## MELLET CASE PROBE CENTERS IN MYSTERY M'DERMOTT ADDRESS

Held Suspect Furnished With Apartment And Riches in Hide-Away

CANTON, O., Oct. 26.—Interest in the mystery surrounding the slaying three months ago of Don R. Mellett, crusading Canton publisher, veered sharply today from possibilities of startling developments that may be brought to light in a confession from Pat McDermott, believed key figure in the murder, to an elaborately furnished apartment in Cleveland, the address unknown, where McDermott claimed to have been hiding for three months while investigators were combing the country in an effort to apprehend him.

Belief that the solution to the entire murder mystery may be contained in this apartment was expressed today by Detective Ora Slater, who, with Prosecutor C. E. McClintock, brought McDermott back to Canton, Sunday night.

"I believe that, when we ascertain the whereabouts of that apartment, we will be able to reveal the real motive behind the

White McDermott was being held incommunicado in a solitary confinement cell in the Canton workhouse today, prior to a visit from Slater and McClintock, who will attempt to obtain his confession, his brother, Bernard McDermott, who helped make the delivery of Pat to the authorities, was in Cleveland, ostensibly searching for the mysterious apartment of unknown address. Bernard claimed that Pat had never given him the exact location of the hide-away but that from information he managed to glean from his brother's talk, Bernard believed it could be discovered.

McDermott's confession, investigators claim, will incriminate another man, believed by police to be a person who has figured prominently in the talk surrounding the slaying and whose whereabouts are to be questioned today by Sheriff's deputies investigating the baffling slaying.

"I don't know whether we shall call the grand jury from its recess to issue a new indictment," McClintock said. "But please rest assured that, if McDermott does incriminate any other person, we will go after him."

CANTON, O., Oct. 26.—A frantic attempt to get Pat McDermott, held as the "key man" in the slaying of Don R. Mellett, Canton publisher, before he has a chance to spill the beans to Detective Ora Slater and Prosecutor C. E. McClintock was made today by Attorney Ed. L. Mills, attorney for Louis Mazer, first charged with first degree murder in connection with the same murder, who filed a motion asking the court to allow him to visit McDermott.

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## EXPLOSION OF GAS IN FURNACE MAKES SLIGHT DAMAGE

## CINCINNATI COAL PRICES ALSO SOAR

A slight explosion resulting from an accumulation of gases that ripped a small hole in the top of a coal furnace bowl at the residence of Roy Jones, Third and Whitehead Streets, at 7:25 o'clock Tuesday morning, caused nearly out of reach of shivering householders, Cincinnati wholesale coal and mining concerns predicted today.

Despite the fact that export demands have sent the price of block coal skyward, more than 100 per cent during the past 30 days, operators here declared that a run on the market would undoubtedly cause another boost.

Wholesale operators pointed out that export demands on West Virginia coal boosted the prices from \$2 to \$4.50 a ton, f. o. b. the mines, during the past four weeks.

The ladder truck of the fire department, answering the alarm, met with a slight auto accident at Second and Collier Streets, before arriving at the residence. One fender was bent and the running board torn on the fire truck. The second truck was also damaged and whirled completely around, drivers of both vehicles escaping injury.

The ladder truck was going south on Collier Street and the H. and A. truck east on Second Street.

## TEACHES PRINCESS JAZZ DANCES



Felicia Sorel, pretty Chicago girl of Roumanian extraction who appears on stage, says she has been asked to give Princess Ileana of Roumania instruction in American jazz dances.

## SIX FORMER SWEETHEARTS OF MURDERED GIRL HELD IN CASE

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 26.—Six former sweethearts of Beulah Purvis, murdered last Saturday, Indiana, edition stockinged, country girl, were to be questioned today by Sheriff's deputies investigating the baffling slaying.

Meantime, authorities sounded a warning for a "highway sheik with the imprint of the heel of a shoe on his face"—for Beulah before she was beaten, stabbed, kicked and thrown lifeless into the Big Miami river last week, was thought to have used her feet, as she always did when angered.

The father of the girl, father of twenty-five other children, eleven of whom are living, declared that the "Allus" used her shoe right smartly.

A reward of \$1,000 offered by county commissioners yesterday for the arrest and conviction of her slayer today added a new impetus to the investigation.

Blood-soaked gravel along the Elg Four railroad near where the body was found last Wednesday added another angle to the mystery today.

NEWPORT, Ky., Oct. 26.—While across the Ohio river, authorities were trying to find the man whom they thought could solve the murder of Miss Beulah Purvis, whose body was found in the Big Miami river last week, authorities here today were trying to "find the woman" they believe could explain the mysterious death of John Bucholz, 42, Dayton, Ky., cabinet maker. The body of Bucholz was found late yesterday in the Ohio river at Taylor'sport, near here. An ugly cut over the right temple gave mute evidence that death had set in before the body was hurled in the muddy water.

Police today are searching for a woman who phoned headquarters late last week and told them that "Bucholz's body had been thrown into the river."

AUTHORITIES TO DECLARE WAR ON AUTO VIOLATORS

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 26.—King Coal, fearing a multitude of orders to take a financial flight nearly out of reach of shivering householders, Cincinnati wholesale coal and mining concerns predicted today.

Chief Graham delivers the following warning:

"The speed limit in Xenia is fifteen miles per hour in the business district and twenty-five miles per hour in the residence district. The business district extends from Church St. to Third St. on Detroit St., and from Galloway to Collier St. on Main St., including Market, Second and Third Sts."

"You must approach all signals and intersections slow, with car under control and observe all stop and slow signs. In the future all violations will be prosecuted."

C. E. PRESIDENT MARTINS FERRY, O., Oct. 26.—Rev. Perry E. Smoke, Columbus, has been elected president of the Ohio Christian Endeavor Union succeeding Rev. R. I. Farmer, of Steubenville, J. C. Keyser, chairman of the state nominating committee announced today. Rev. Farmer resigned when he accepted a call to Adrian, Michigan.

LIFE SENTENCE FINDLAY, O., Oct. 26.—Merritt Green, 26, convicted of second-degree murder in the death of Winfield Williams, shot during a quarrel over the use of a threshing machine, was sentenced to life imprisonment by Common Pleas Judge W. F. Duncan.

FREIGHTER WRECK TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Oct. 26.—The freighter Perry of Peekskill upset during a squall in the Hudson River yesterday near Irvington, according to word reaching here.

When the gale upset the steamer water rushed into the boiler room, trapping Hayes as he attempted to ascend the steel ladder. The vessel was blown to bits by the force of the boiler explosion.

HIGH ASPIRATIONS ST. CLAIRSVILLE, O., Oct. 26.—Harold McWilliams, local news writer, got a cold reception when he went into the clouds to hunt votes while campaigning for election as clerk of Belmont County courts, he said, after an airplane trip over the county during which he dropped campaign literature on peaceful communities. McWilliams said the plane traveled at only 3,000 feet yet it was uncomfortable chilly.

OFFICER TESTIFIES WITH SURPRISE TO M'PHERSON CASE

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 26.—Called as a witness by the defense,

# The Girl Who Dared

By May Christie

## Chapter 37

## AT THE JAI-ALAI GAME

Luella Loder, with her aunt and uncle, sat in the high concrete building called the Fronton Jai-Alai, in Havana, and—amid a shouting, betting multitude—watched the famous game that for endurance, skill and lightning judgment can't be beaten anywhere.

"Peleca," it is called. But here in Havana it has taken the title of its court, "Jai-Alai."

An extraordinary scene it was! So swift the ball moved it was like bullet! It was caught and flung by the opposing teams with seldom a fault or error, hurled violently against the wall, and back again and yet again, with the odds changing every instant, and the bookmakers yelling madly, the betting papers constantly thrown to the spectators in hollow rubber globes.

The court was a rectangle, over two hundred feet in length, with white lines marked on it, and the players—extraordinarily little young Cubans—were in dazzling white, with red silk sashes, and a racquet-like arrangement, called a "cesta," strapped to the arm.

Above cement ledges, packed with men, were boxes, in one of which the Wade party had accommodation. Immediately below them was a sort of promenade where the "bookies" did their robbing trade. A bar, in high activity, did likewise!

The noise the audience made was unbelievable. Men and women yelled like lunatics, lifted clenched fists, and shook with rage as the team they'd backed was losing. Loud curses, wild entreaties, and bawled insults rent the air, tempered by the delighted shrieks of those who had odds upon the favorites.

"My head is splitting," peevishly murmured Mrs. Wade, but no one listened to her. Cyrus was gleaming marvelous "copy" for his book, and the primitive side of Miss Luella was aflame. \*

She leant over, shouting to the bookies in their scarlet caps, and adroitly catching their betting papers as they flew through the air in hollow rubber balls.

Cyrus Wade leant back, and leisurely surveyed the Cuban families in the other boxes. Beautiful, provocative young women, with dark, languorous eyes. Devoted and mustachioed fathers. Plump mothers, the clear pallor of whose once exquisite complexions had faded to a sort brownish tint, just like a gardenia does. And slender sons, small-waisted, with patrician features and a sensitive, expressive gaze.

The marriages down here seemed more successful than those in the United States, thought Cyrus Wade.

Interesting folks, the high-class Cubans, with that touch of dignity about them, that faint tinge, too, of melancholy that the northern people lacked.

"Oh, look!" Luella cried suddenly, above the din that almost shook the Fronton. "Over in that box—the big woman in purple velvet—"

Aunt and uncle both looked round.

"A vulgar creature," commented Mrs. Wade, still peevish. "Not a friend of yours, surely Luella?" She put up a lorgnon.

"Don't do that. She's a fiery-tempered person. She might make a scene." Luella recollects, none too pleasantly, the evening at the El Fey Club, not so very long ago.

"But who is she? Purple velvet! And the hat! So noticeable!"

"She's Philip Andover's sister-in-law. His late brother's wife. Her child gets the estate." Luella's expression was a little awry.

"Good gracious! She's too awful! Such bad taste as his brother must have had! And Mr. And-

over himself is so refined!" Mrs. Wade took a good look at the woman who had ousted—as she considered—her own niece from the property.

"It makes me hot to look at her! Cy!" turning to her sleek little husband—"get a retresco for me. That thing we had this morning—'pina colado,' I think it's called."

The chilled essence of pinoapple was brought to her in an enormous glass. It was a delightful mixture, and she consumed it thirstily.

There was an interlude when the game concluded, and the people in the boxes rose and stretched their legs.

"I'm going down to the betting counter to get my winnings," announced Luella, rising.

The Wades went with her, struggling through the moving masses on the promenade.

"Say, there!" The woman in purple velvet was already at the bar, a Scotch and soda in her hand. She wheeled round to address Luella: "Haven't forgotten me, have you? Not already?"

Luella introduced her to her aunt and uncle, rather hesitantly.

Mrs. James Andover's face was red, and it was obvious that she had dined too well. Her mood was affable.

"Pretty country, huh? You must all come out and see our property. The 'hacienda,'"—she mispronounced the Spanish word—"has heaps of empty bedrooms, and I'm thinking of giving a sort of house-warming. Jerry's in his element about the farm."

She turned to introduce a thin, fox-looking little man.

"My ballifff, Mr. Timkins. What he doesn't know about tobacco—"

She broke off, rolling her prominent eyes in a delirious manner.

The Wade party was about to move away, when the woman suddenly gripped Luella by the elbow.

"Hold on! I've a bit of news for you that no doubt'll please you though sorry I was to hear it myself, though the poor creature never had much fun in life, and in her shoes I'd have made him pay through the nose properly, I tell you. Not that he was exactly stingsy with her, but she never showed much spirit, till I got hold of her in New York, and put her up to a trick or two!"

"What has happened?" asked Luella quietly, a sudden premonition taking her. "What is it?"

The woman said, with hard, cunning eyes upon Luella's face, to note the exact effect of the announcement:

"I'd a cable today from Nassau from John Rogers. His wife died of heart failure early this morning."

"What's that you say?" Mrs. Wade swung round on the speaker.

"Listen, Luella. I'm talking to you for your own best interests. Don't be peeved."

"I'm not peeved." The girl was mollified at the quasi-apology from her aunt. "But I'm sort of off."

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Philip Andover is a whole heap since 1875.

more attractive. He's a gentleman."

Mrs. Wade was worried, anxious at this new turn.

"Even if he is a gentleman, Mr. Andover has his family skeletons. Not that this one"—nodding towards the boy where the buxom sister-in-law was seated—"quite fits the name—"

"More like a hippopotamus than a skeleton," giggled Luella in a sudden fit of nerves.

Later, when the "quimela" was over, they decided not to go on to the gambling rooms.

Back in the patio of the hotel, Luella—still jumpy from the disturbing but highly interesting news that Mrs. James Andover had recently imparted to her—partook of a gin rickey, and listened to the romantic splashing of the fountain in its wide bronze basin.

A slender wisp of the moon was in the sky. The heat of the day had gone, and balmy breezes swept the island from the sea, fanning her cheeks. Enchanting perfumes were about her. Luella sighed and closed her eyes.

Romance! It called to her tonight. But the call was not in Rogers' cockney voice. Oh, no!

She stirred and sighed again, her thoughts drifting to Phillip whom—she now admitted—she had treated rather badly. Handsome, chivalrous, heart-disturbing Phillip! Where was he tonight? Oh! far away in Nassau! Wide stretches of the sea divided them, she told herself.

"Oh, good gracious!" Luella was startled. She had an antipathy, a fear of death that amounted almost to an obsession.

"How frightful! But of course with heart disease—"

"Yes, yes," rejoined the younger woman hurriedly. She had no wish to discuss the matter.

Her aunt plucked up courage.

"But now this—this event"—she wouldn't use the other dreadful word—"puts a different complexion on your—affair"—it was difficult and delicate to get the right expression—"your affair with Mr. Rogers. Doesn't it?"

Luella tossed her head.

"He behaved abominably."

"But look at the encouragement you gave him!" Mrs. Wade's worldly thoughts turned to the Australian's money. "Not that I want you to allow him to come here right away, in the circumstances, and make another scandal."

She broke off.

Luella bridled. Memory of her aunt's sharp words to her, on the occasion of the arrival of the unfortunate Mrs. Rogers, returned in angry force.

"You must permit me the use of my own judgment please."

They went back in the box again. A "quimela" had just started in the court below. Six contestants took part in it, the one against the other in successive pairs.

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## Society-Personal-Clubs

THE NICEST courtesy you can show your guests is to have their visits mentioned on this page. The nicest courtesy you can show your friends is to let them learn of your visits through this page whenever you go away. The Gazette and Republican consider it a courtesy whenever you turn in an item of any kind. PHONE 70.

### MRS. KELBLE HOSTESS TO CURRENT EVENTS CLUB

Mrs. Charles A. Kelble opened her home to members of the Current Events Club for the October meeting Tuesday afternoon, fifteen club women enjoying her hospitality.

Several bouquets of the late flowers including some lovely dahlias which the frosts have left untouched were used by the hostess about the rooms. Mrs. Walter Currie and Mrs. Joseph Santyner furnished the afternoon's program the former having for her theme, "Culinary Arts" and the latter reading a paper on "Domestic Arts." A refreshment course was served.

### RECEPTION FOR PUBLISHER AND BRIDE

Invitations have been issued by the Messrs. Harry Bell, Clarence Jones and Staunton Tafel for a reception to be held at the Piqua Golf Club Friday evening October 29, to meet Mr. and Mrs. C. Franklin Ridenour, whose marriage took place recently in the Little Church Around the Corner, New York.

Mr. Ridenour, a former Xenia newspaper man is publisher of the Piqua Daily Call. His bride was Miss Belle Lee of Atlanta, Ga.

### ANTIOCH SOPHS TO BANQUET FRESHMEN

Freshmen of Antioch College, Division B, will be guests of honor at a banquet to be given by the Sophomores in the college dining room Tuesday evening. President Arthur E. Morgan and Dean Phillip C. Nash will be the speakers.

### BOY SCOUT NEWS

Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America, at its regular meeting at Central High School Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock, will be confronted with the task of beginning registration for the coming year, according to Scoutmaster R. H. Kingsbury. The Scoutmaster asks for a full attendance that the matter of registration for 1927 can be brought more easily to a speedy conclusion.

### KIDDIES INVITED

There will be a surprise for the kiddies it is announced, at the Hallowe'en party to be given for the juniors of the First Presbyterian Sunday School in the church social room Tuesday night. The hours will be from 7 to 9, and the young people are asked to appear in masquerade costume.

### ENTERTAINS CLUB

Miss Edna Bloom was hostess to the Travel Club at her home on W. Second St. Monday night, twelve members of the club enjoying the evening. Mrs. Hervey Bailey had as her guest at the party, her sister, Miss Elizabeth Gilmore of Wilkinsburg, Penn., who is a house guest at the Bailey home near Cedarville.

### WOMAN WRITER MARRIES

Announcement of the engagement of Mrs. Penelope Perrill, well known special writer on the staff of the Dayton Daily News to Dr. Gainer Jennings, of West Milton, has been announced. The marriage will be an event of the near future, it is said.

### GOLF MATCH

Students and faculty of Antioch College will engage in their annual fall golf match on the Xenia Country Club course Wednesday afternoon. Four or five foursomes are expected to participate.

Funeral services for Rita Ann, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Foody, will be held at the home Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Donovan, Cincinnati Ave. are the parents of a son born Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Higgins (Janice Owens) returned Sunday night from their ten days honeymoon trip.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Messenger, N. King St. had as their guests over Sunday, Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Cone, of Cincinnati.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First United Presbyterian Church, will meet at the home of Mrs. William Finlay, Chestnut St., Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allison, of E. Third St., are receiving congratulations over the birth of a son weighing twelve pounds, Saturday night.

Announcement is being made of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Agnor (Alma Carman) of Panstersville. The baby weighed nine pounds.

Mrs. A. C. McCormick, worthy matron, Miss Florence Swan, junior past worthy matron of Aldora Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star and Mrs. Frank McClellan went to Springfield Tuesday to represent Aldora Chapter, this city, at the state meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star. They will remain throughout the sessions. A large number of people from Xenia will attend the night sessions and other meetings of the convention. A special traction car will carry about twenty-five Xenia people to Springfield for the convention Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Haws have taken the apartment of Mrs. R. J. Kelly, Meredith Apartments, N. King St., while Mrs. Kelly is on her Egyptian tour. Mr. Haws is manual training teacher on the faculty of Central High School.

Miss Josephine Gilmore, who is a junior at the Western College, Oxford, spent the week end with her aunts, Mrs. Hervey Bailey and Miss Elizabeth Gilmore, of Wilkinsburg, Penn., at the Bailey home near Cedarville.

## SOCIETY, AT HORSE SHOW, SHOWS WHAT'S SMART IN COATS



All doubt as to what coat models were being favored this season by society's smartest dressers, was removed when "400" turned out for Piping Rock Horse Show, at Locust Valley, L. I. Pictured are (l. to r.) Mrs. Robert B. Honey-moon, Jr., and her sister-in-law, Lessie Honeymoon; Mrs. F. A. Soldwedel in smart riding costume; Misses Katherine Todd, Laura Robinson and Mary Sinclair

## ORGANIZATIONS, APPOINT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TUESDAY

Representatives of the Social Service League, Red Cross and Federated Parent Teachers' Association will meet at the City Hall commission chamber Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock to appoint an executive committee for the proposed Community Chest campaign this fall.

This executive committee, to be composed of members unbiased in their relation to the three organizations which will participate in the drive, will effect permanent organization of a Community Chest in Xenia.

Such details as setting a goal and date for the chest drive will ultimately be outlined by the new committee.

Delegates of the three organizations who have been named to attend the meeting include W. W. Galloway, George Geyer, Mrs. E. P. Hamlin, Dr. B. R. McClellan, and Karl R. Babb. Mrs. Charles Adair, who will be unable to attend, will send a substitute.

Major John W. Prugh, who, under a plan drafted by a committee, will be made chairman of the proposed executive committee, will preside at the meeting.

### LUMBERTON

There will be a Hallowe'en social at the school house, Thursday night, October 28. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson, former Xenians who were located in Sarasota, Fla., about a year, have returned to Cincinnati, their former home.

Mr. Thomas O'Dea, formerly of this city, who underwent an operation at the Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati, was taken to his home in Springfield last Saturday and is convalescing. Mr. O'Dea is yardmaster for the Pennsylvania railroad company in Springfield.

Mrs. W. R. Craven, of Dayton, started last Thursday for St. Petersburg, Fla., to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dillon, and spend several weeks.

Mr. David Lewis, E. Second St., who underwent an operation recently in a Dayton hospital, has returned home and is convalescing favorably.

Mr. Harry Dunn, of New Richmond, Wis., is expected to come to Xenia Wednesday for a visit with his father, Mr. M. J. Dunn, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Canning, W. Market St. This will be his first visit to Xenia, his former home, in seven years.

Mr. C. A. Bone, of George Dodds and Sons Granite Company, who has been confined to his home, N. King St., for some time, suffering from a form of rheumatic trouble, is convalescing and is able to be about the house with the aid of crutches.

Sale of the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Routzong, N. King St., to Mr. Clarence Fisher, has been announced. Possession will not be given to the new owner for several weeks. The sale was made through the agency of T. C. Long.

Members of the Church School of Christ Episcopal Church will be entertained at a Hallowe'en party by Miss Olivia Cost, Thursday evening, at her home on Dayton Avenue.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Lutheran Church will give a food demonstration in the Sunday School room Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Each member is urged to bring as many guests as possible.

Mr. John McClellan, of Clarendon, Va., former Xenian, submitted to a surgical operation at the McClellan Hospital Wednesday morning. His condition following was reported as favorable. Mr. and Mrs. McClellan came to Xenia a few days ago to consult local surgeons. —Saysre's Drug Store.

CUT THIS OUT—it IS WORTH MONEY

Send this ad and 10 cents to Foley & Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive a full bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for colds, colds, croup (spasmodic) and tickling throat; also a trial packet each Foley Pill, a diuretic stimulant for the kidneys, and Foley's Cathartic Tablets for constipation, biliousness, and sick headaches. These wonderful remedies have helped millions of people. Send for them.—Saysre's Drug Store.

## EAST END NEWS MRS. JAMES HARRIS Correspondent TEL. 91-R

Mr. Steward Coward, of the Wilmington Pike, has been indoors by illness for over a week.

Mrs. M. J. Moxley, of E. Market St., is the guest for a few weeks of Mrs. Laura Fullbach, Dayton, O.

Mrs. Evaline Turner, E. Second St., is among the sick suffering from an attack of indigestion.

The Edith Randolph Prayer Circle met with Mrs. J. J. Turner, Columbus and Church Sts., Tuesday afternoon.

**FINED IN COURT AS RESULT OF ACCIDENT ON PIKE LATE MONDAY**

As the sequel to a head-on auto collision on the Springfield and Xenia Pike at 10:30 o'clock Monday night in which five occupants of two machines escaped injury, George Finn, Yellow Springs, was fined \$50 and costs and sentenced to ten days in the County Jail by Probate Judge S. C. Wright Tuesday on a charge of operating a car while intoxicated.

James Finn, Yellow Springs, also a passenger in the car, was given the minimum fine of \$100 and costs for illegal possession of liquor. Both pleaded guilty to the charges.

The pair was arrested by Deputy Sheriff John Baugh following an accident in which the Finn machine collided with another car occupied by A. E. Logan, Bernard Ware and J. W. Callahan, all colored students of Wilberforce University.

The crash occurred at a point about three miles north of Xenia. The Finn car was being driven toward Xenia and the Wilberforce students were traveling toward Springfield.

According to information received

ed by the deputy sheriff, George Finn was responsible for the accident when he suddenly hooked the car to the left precipitating both machines into adjoining ditches. No one was injured but the autos were damaged.

Miss Edith Linkhart, a student

## IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

FLUSH YOUR KIDNEYS OCCASIONALLY BY DRINKING QUARTS OF GOOD WATER

No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Too much rich food creates acids which clog the kidney pores so that they sluggish filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood. Then you get sick. Rheumatism, headache, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders often come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage, or attended by a sensation of scalding, begin to drink soft water in quantities; also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

These famous salts are made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to help neutralize the acids in the system as they no longer cause irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, which everyone can take now and then to help keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby often preventing serious kidney complications.

—Adv.

### PORT WILLIAM

Rev. R. P. Hudnall wishes to announce that on Sunday evening, October 31st, at 7:30, at the

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## HAPPINESS IN WORK

The morning tells the intelligent man many things. Generally, it rules his day. If it starts wrong for him, the day is spoilt. A tired feeling or a headache in the morning tells him he is unwell or is burning the candle at both ends. A dislike, on the part of a healthy man, for beginning the work of the day is usually a sure indication he is not in the right physical and mental condition or not in the right place. There is something radically wrong with the habits, health or occupation of the worker who is not eager to tackle the problems and tasks of the day.

An honest man is entitled to happiness in his work. It is the one sure sign that he has found his true vocation. Love for one's work is as natural as love for one's family. Without it few succeed and none is contented.

Business brings joy to more people than any other occupation because it comes nearest to being universal. The business man is a builder in a larger sense than the laborer and tradesman and, while socially he is on the same plane with the professional man, his vocation does not require the long and costly preparation that is indispensable to the professions. Business is the school of the business man, but its curriculum is not mastered by all who essay it.

Communities owe more than they sometimes realize to that little inner circle of merchants, manufacturers and other business men who are progressive because they love their work and who by their own progressiveness cause the community to grow and prosper.

## LIKING FOR GOOD BOOKS

There is something disarming to the critical spirit, even at its fiercest, in the subject of children's reading. It is closely knit up with the most precious early memories of most parents and is one to which the parent with the well-being of the child at heart must give much serious thought during formative years.

At all times of the year there unwind before teachers, librarians and others acquainted with books a constant procession of frankly bewildered parents. Vaguely they feel that their children are not reading the right books and very often they lead a vain quest for those "right books."

It is more than possible that the puzzled parents are reading the wrong books themselves; but, urged on by a lovely and pathetic instinct akin to that impulse which causes fathers and mothers to slave and sacrifice for their children, they want their progeny to avoid their mistakes, read only the best books and be the better for it.

No parental persuasion is necessary to create in the child mind an interest in the fairy tale and the school boy and girl come naturally by their love for romance and adventure. It is adolescent youth that needs wise and tactful guidance in the selection of reading matter.

A fondness for good books doesn't just happen. It must be cultivated in the child, as well as in the adult who did not acquire it in its youth or lost it in the transition from youth to maturity. Homes with good libraries well-read by adult members of the family seldom are the scene of juvenile revolt against helpful reading.

## THE AGE OF ROADS

People say civilization rests on the home, the church, the school, or such inventions as the printing press, but how about roads?

Isn't the ability to move about, to exchange goods and ideas, the real secret of human progress? And what has done more than good roads to prompt this moving about and exchange of goods and ideas?

Roads stand for more than mere commercial prosperity.

It was the Roman road that held the Roman Empire together and made Roman law effective and by building good roads, England, centuries ago made it possible for her students to gather from afar to pursue their studies at Oxford and Cambridge.

By destroying provincialism and substituting sympathy and understanding for sectional hatred and distrust, and by inviting people to see and know their country and all its people, good roads are welding the United States into a solid, coherent nation.

Improved and maintained public roads are a relatively new institution in this country, although the Romans built them on a magnificent scale 2,000 years ago. The earliest roads in this country started as Indian trails or paths made by pioneer settlers. Military needs and expeditions brought some of these within the definition of a road. The first improved roads were built by private corporations which collected tolls from the traveler using them. In the cities the first pavements were made of cobblestones or flat flagstone.

Today one can travel by automobile over paved or carefully maintained roads from coast to coast and gulf to Canada and yet the tremendous mileage of good roads already constructed is but one-sixth of the national highway system.

## FIRE IN GROCERY MYSTERY SOURCE

A mysterious fire in the Wright grocery at Yellow Springs burned itself out without doing much damage sometime between Saturday night and Monday morning. Clouds of smoke in the grocery when it was opened Monday morning resulted in a fire alarm but firemen found only a hole about three yards in diameter burned in the floor. Part of the counter had burned and a scales had fallen through the hole in the floor. The fire evidently had smoldered

## The Trotting Of Trotsky



## 1906-TWENTY YEARS AGO-1926

The Clendenen Construction Co., New York City, has contracted to build the Frey traction line from Springfield to Wilmington via Clifton, Cedarville and Jamestown, with a spur to Xenia from the main line between Cedarville and Jamestown.

Mr. M. A. Broadstone, the county recorder, left for a trip

to Chattanooga.

The Ohio Cordage Mill, which has been idle for some weeks, has again been put in operation, making further demand for labor in this city.

Mr. Ben Piers, new physical director of the Y. M. C. A., is making arrangements for a business men's gym class this winter.

Harling hidden away in a garret in Greenwich Village, trying to do the greater and finer things and forced from time to time to try his hand at the music for a popular song. Perhaps Harling will remember the day when he and Conroy attempted to conquer Broadway via Tin Pan Alley, and now Frank Harling is perhaps the most interesting young musician and composer in America. October 4, at the Imperial Theatre, told a story of success gained through hardship and striving."

## FARM EXPOSITION TO FEATURE FIESTA

Hilarity music and mirth will reign supreme during the fourteenth annual Hallowe'en carnival to be held at Jamestown all day Monday, November 1, complete plans for which were disclosed Monday.

Exhibit of farm products, awarding of prizes and other events are scheduled for the morning. The afternoon program includes a band concert beginning at 1 o'clock, an ox roast at 2 p. m. and other athletic events, games and various amusements.

The grand masked parade will be held in the evening commencing at 6:30 o'clock. The queen of the carnival to be selected will lead the procession after which she will mount a throne, and surrounded by royalty preside over the remainder of the festivities four or five years.

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## The Theatre

Photoplay and book relationship has again been receiving the attention of the National Board of Review of Motion Pictures, in the preparation of its annual selected book-films list.

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# EXPLANATION OF PROPOSED DISTRICT LIBRARY GIVEN

Question of the creation of a county library district in Greene County will be submitted to voters at the regular election November 2. Supporters of the proposal say the plan is designed to enable the entire county to obtain better library service and to obtain new books. It is proposed with the increased funds to start a form of circulating library with library book wagons touring the county.

In past years the library has been supported by an annual appropriation of County Commissioners of five hundredths of a mill within the ten-mill limit, which has amounted to about \$3,000, considered an inadequate amount.

To remedy similar situations existing over Ohio a law was recently passed providing for creation of county library districts by a majority vote of the people.

The local library wishes to take advantage of this law.

Under the new law a library board of trustees is appointed, composed of five members, all residents of the district. Two members are appointed by the Common Pleas Court judge and three by County Commissioners. Two members will be originally appointed for terms of one and four years respectively. The remaining three will be appointed for terms of two, three and

## SID HALLER, SON OF FORMER XENIANS ON CHICAGO TEAM

Sid Haller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haller, former Xenians, is playing quarterback position this Fall on the American College football eleven at Chicago, Ill., and is considered one of the most valuable members of the team.

He is taking a coaching and physical director's course at the college and is experienced along this line.

For the past two years, he was supervisor of athletics at Walnut Hill and Emerson playgrounds in Dayton, gaining the rank of junior.

Haller is considered an all-around athlete. He graduated from Stivers High School in Dayton in 1926.

In addition to becoming a regular member of the varsity football team at American College the former Xenian is a member of the Aquatic Club.

## BETTER BULL TRAIN IN DAYTON NOV. 4

A special train to be known as the "Better Bull Special," will be brought to Dayton, Thursday, November 4, by the Erie Railroad, in co-operation with Ohio State University, the four leading state and national dairy breeders associations and the Montgomery and Greene County Farm Bureaus.

The train will consist of several cars of dairy exhibits and two carloads of purebred bulls of the four main breeds; Holstein, Guernsey, Jersey and Ayrshire, which will be for sale to those who wish to take advantage of the opportunity to secure a purebred bull at a reasonable price.

The bulls to be shown are all from dams producing 450 to 500 pounds butter fat per year and are from nine to twelve months old, it is announced.

There will be interesting features for those visiting the bull special, arranged by different firms. These firms are extending the courtesy in the interest of better milk, more economical production and increased good health in the community.

The special train will be open to the general public from 9:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. and will be located opposite the Dayton union station.

## STATE WITNESSES HEARD AT TRIAL

CADIZ, O., Oct. 26.—With the calling of more state witnesses, all testifying to having heard frequent quarrels between Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webster, formerly of Steubenville and Columbus, the trial of Mrs. Webster, charged with the second-degree murder of her husband, got under way again here today. The case started Monday.

Webster was shot in the head while driving his automobile between here and Adena, last May. He was an active dry raider for three years. Mrs. Webster pleaded it was an accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hamilton, who were in the automobile with the Websters, were on the stand yesterday afternoon. They testified they saw nothing of the shooting.

## BOWLING

Criterions sprang a surprise by setting back the Fords in two out of three games in the Xenia Bowling League match Monday night, taking the final two after the Fords had won the opening game. Highley obtained the most pins for the winners and White led the attack of the Fords. Box score:

Criterions	174	198	162
Roach	187	121	162
Apgar	203	118	140
Highley	160	221	199
Hughes	159	148	189
Totals	883	806	852

Fords	208	139	130
W. C. Horner	183	175	158
Leahy	159	118	140
Dummy	189	141	165
McPherson	191	218	188
Totals	930	791	781

five years, respectively. Thereafter appointments are made for five-year terms.

Trustees shall serve without compensation except for such expenses as are incurred, this to be paid out of the library fund. The board will have power to accept or refuse gifts and bequests, construct buildings, buy equipment and other routine details relative to management.

The board will levy annually for district library purposes on all taxable property within the district not less than two-tenths of a mill nor more than one mill. In this way the library is placed out of the ten-mill limit class which is exhausted and into the fifteen-mill limit division.

Estimating the county tax duplicate at fifty-two million dollars the library expects to increase its annual income to \$8,000, an amount believed sufficient to inaugurate a circulating library and care for overhead expense.

County tax-payers who had herefore paid fifty cents per \$10,000 property valuation would now pay \$2 merely the "price of a book," supporters of the plan say. This would mean an increase of only \$1.50 in annual taxes for tax-payers within the library district.

The plan would necessitate a slight re-adjustment of taxes over the county. In districts where the fifteen-mill limit is entirely used up, taxes will not be increased even this amount. In the remaining districts taxes will be boosted slightly. Sugarcreek and Cedarville Townships will not vote on the proposal, having declined to be considered in the district because of local libraries.

Under the district library law the board of trustees will submit an annual budget to the County Budget Commission, thus eliminating the annual appropriation of County Commissioners, for the "library fund."

The budget must not be less than two-tenths of a mill or \$2 per \$10,000 property valuation, nor more than one mill and it is the intention of the library supporters say, not to ask for more than this minimum amount every year. It is understood the budget commission must approve this minimum amount. If a larger levy should be asked for, the commission has the power to cut the request to the minimum.

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## VALENTINO'S BROTHER IN FILMS



Hollywood company proposes to make film star of Alberto Guglielmi, brother of Rodolpho Valentino. Photo shows Alberto and a view of his late brother in a "sheik" role.

## "THIRTY THREE'S" TO FACE FAMOUS COLUMBUS SQUAD

## EPISCOPAL BISHOP TO SPEAK AT CHRIST CHURCH ON FRIDAY

Whether the "Thirty-threes" will be benefited by their two weeks of enforced idleness will be determined in the Sunday afternoon gridiron struggle with the famous Columbus Froben Spices at Cincinnati A. E. Park.

The Columbus eleven, recognized as central Ohio's leading middleweight team, was scheduled for Sunday because of inability to book a game with the Springfield When Bulldogs, following the last Sunday postponement because of rain.

The Spices are represented this fall by leading high school, former college and semi-professional players of the central section of the state.

The team has lost but seven games in the last four years, running up a total of 53 points against opponents' 110 markers.

Thus the locals have their work first victory of the current season to be recorded.

## POLICE GIVE FAIR WARNING TO BOYS

Police are preparing to curb the annual activities of mischievous boys with the approach of Hallowe'en.

Police Chief M. E. Graham issued his annual warning Tuesday with reference to malicious destruction of property and "practical jokes," advising boys that depredations will not be permitted at any time.

Offenders will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law, he warns.

## CLIFTON

A Hallowe'en Carnival, for the benefit of the Weekday Bible School, will be held Friday evening October 29th, 1926 from the residence of Warren Printz on North St. west to the Opera House which will be open.

Prizes are offered for best costumes. Food will be sold. The admission is ten cents. The Weekday Bible School is financed by the three Presbyterian Churches and public subscription.

Mrs. Blaine Spahr has been visiting in Xenia for several days this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Harpham, on Monday, a son, LaVerne Fulton at Massillon.

Mr. William Reed, who has been seriously ill at his son's home, has been moved to his own home on Clinton St.

Mrs. Fraley Dailey, a resident of this place for many years, moved to Springfield last Wednesday to be with her sons, Wilbur and Irvin, who are employed there.

A birthday party was enjoyed by Gene Cory and five of his friends last Monday, he being eleven years old. Hallowe'en games were played.

Dr. and Mrs. Burnside, of the United Presbyterian Board of Ministerial Relief were guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. G. C. Webster, Sabbath.

Dr. Burnside preached a fine sermon at the United Presbyterian Church.

Miss Alice Danes and her sister, Mrs. Pullen, were visiting their sister at Chillicothe last week.

Thirteen women attended the Xenia Presbytery last Thursday at Xenia from the local U. P. Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Collins left last Friday for a week's visit with their son William and wife at Columbus, Ohio.

He is survived by his widow, who was formerly Miss Irene Kinney of Spring Valley and two sons, Frank and Beall of Columbus.

Funeral services will be held at the home in Oregonia Thursday at 10 a.m. and interment will be made in Lebaron Cemetery.

## L. O. O. M. MEETS

Important business will be transacted at the regular meeting of the Loyal Order of Moose to be held Wednesday evening October 27 at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served. All members are urged to attend.

## ED S. FOUST

The writer desires the name, address of every man and woman in this town who have suffered from rheumatism during the last six months. It may be that the message I have for you will prove of value to you. A short description of just how it affects you might help.

Box 13, Care Gazette Office.

Ed S. Foust

For Rent or Lease

Sufferers From Rheumatism

The

"YES, I SOLD IT," HE REPLIED;  
"I USED AN AD IN  
CLASSIFIED."

# Classified Advertising Page

THE EVENING GAZETTE, XENIA, OHIO, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1926

"I FOUND JUST WHAT I WANTED,  
ED," SAID HE; "A CLASSIFIED  
AD BROUGHT IT TO ME."

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES

Daily Rate Per Line for Consecutive Insertions.

Insertions ..... Cash Charge

One day ..... .08 .09

Three days ..... .08 .10

One week ..... .08 .10

Advertisements are restricted to proper size and type.

The right is reserved by the Publishers to edit or reject any advertising.

The Xenia Gazette and Republic can maintain a staff of clerks ever ready to perform service and render advice on all kinds of advertising.

Advertisements ordered for irregular insertions will be charged at the regular rate. No advertisement will be taken less than the cost of three lines. Special rates for yearly advertising upon request.

The publishers will be responsible only for one incorrect insertion of any advertisement. Classified Ads will be received until 9:30 a.m. for publication the same day.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Card of Thanks.  
In Memoriam.  
Mortuary Announcements.  
Taxi Service.  
Notices, Meetings.  
Personal.

Lost and Found.

### BUSINESS CARDS

Cleaning, Pressing, Laundering.  
Dressing Millinery.  
Beauty Culture.  
Professional Services.  
Housing, Planning, Heating.  
Electricians, Wiring.  
Building Contracting.  
Painting, Papering.  
Repairing, Refinishing.  
Moving, Packing, Storage.

### EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Male.  
Help Wanted—Female.  
Help Wanted—Male or Female.  
Help Wanted—Agents—Salesmen.

Situations Wanted.

Help Wanted—Instruction.

LIVE STOCK—POULTRY—PETS

Dogs—Canaries—Peta  
Poultry—Eggs—Supplies.  
Horses—Cattle—Hogs.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Wanted To Buy—  
Miscellaneous for Sale.  
Household Instruments.  
Household Goods.

Wearing Apparel—Shoes

Groceries—Meats.

### RENTALS

Where To Eat.  
Rooms—with Board.  
Rooms For Rent—Furnished.  
Rooms For Rent—Unfurnished.  
Rooms—Flats—Furnished.

Office and Desk Rooms.

Miscellaneous For Rent.

### REAL ESTATE

Houses for Sale.  
Lots For Sale.

Real Estate for Exchange.

Farms for Sale.

Business Opportunities.

Wanted—Real Estate.

### AUTOMOTIVE

Automobile Insurance.  
Auto Laundries, Painting.

Garage Services—Repairs.

Motorcycles—Bicycles.

Auto Agencies.

Used Cars for Sale.

### PUBLIC LIENS

Auctions.

Auction Sales.

### FLORIST, MONUMENTS

Cut Flowers—Dahlias, all colors.

R. C. Douglas, phone 5439.

### DRESSMAKING, MILLINERY

Hemstitching—Cotton or thread.

Turned, silk, etc. Phone 4292-W.

Mrs. George King, Deliberate Ave.

### PHOTOGRAPHIC SERVICES

Expert Gunsmith

First Floor, 101 W. Second St.

### HELP WANTED—MALE OR FEMALE

You Need Them Now!—Gas

tiles, stove pipe, collars, elbows,

etc., and tire tubes, iron

coats, for passing notes, your

destroyer for cleaning stoves

and pipes without taking them

out, asbestos cement, asbestos

backs, asbestos plaster, plas-

tering and rope wick. The Book-

keeping Co. Phone 360.

### ELECTRICIAN, WIRING

Starter—Generator, magneto

service.—Xenia Storage Battery

### REPAIRING, REFINISHING

Furniture—finished in genuine

leather, upholstering or refinishing of furniture. Only quality work. Fred F. Graham Co.

### MOVING, PACKING, STORAGE

Storage Space—for household

goods, merchandise, machinery,

and dead storage of automo-

biles. Phone Leland Cramer,

South or 130, Xenia.

### HELP WANTED—MALE

Experienced—Farm hand by

the month, home furnished. Call Nelson Ankeny, 2 miles north of Trebein.

### HELP WANTED—MALE OR FEMALE

Solicitors—Greene County Au-

tomobile Club. Apply in person.

Ask for Mr. Belden.

### POULTRY, EGGS, SUPPLIES

Barred Plymouth—Rock cock-

rels. Large and fine barred.

Mrs. Ed. S. Foush, phone 4066-F-3.

50 LARGE HATCHED—Barred Rock

pullets, mash and free range

reared from high producing

stock. Call 2½ on 178, Cedar-

Ville.

### HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS

25 DELAINE—Breeding ewes. E.

L. Stormont, Cedarville, phone

4-162.

12 SHROPSHIRE—Ewes and 9 we-

lams. Call 4078-F-4.

### MULES

Two dandies. Price rea-

sonable. John Harbine, Allen

Building, Telephone.

Two Guernsey—Bulls, one 1

year old and one two months old.

Appleton G. C. Bates, 1939 W. Sec-

ond St.

3 LARGE TYPE POLAND—China

goats weigh 200 lbs. One Poland

China goat. C. S. McDaniel,

Phone 429W-3.

### HORSES, CILLS AND BLANKETS

I'm holding a fall sale this year.

Offering a splendid bunch of

spring goats and a few more

attractive prices. All hogs im-

mured. Phone 740W-2, J. Earl

McClellan, Xenia.

### "Not Possible To Classify"

By Mack Sauer

#### WORDS FROM THE PRESS

A Columbus paper tells of an amusing incident that happened in Columbus this week. The health commissioner of Erie County received the following telegram from the state board of health at Columbus—"Examination shows God has rabies." Investigation showed the telegram should have read—"Examination shows dog has rabies."

The Los Angeles Times printed the following ad from a shoe repair shop: "After we get through with our shoes the closest inspection fails to show that they have been repaired."

An Illinois paper gives us this daring little classified ad: "WANTED—Situation by white couple. Man as butcher, woman as trained nurse. Will consider dentist or surgeon's office."

And then there is the young optimist from New York, who comes out with the following ad in a New York daily: "YOUNG MAN—27, desires clean fair sized room with two widows." (In fairness to the young man, it might be said he meant windows.)

From Denver, Colorado, comes the following in a paper printed there: "WANTED—Man to undertake the manufacture and sale of a new patent medicine. The originator guarantees the venture will be profitable to the undertaker."

You've probably heard of the ad that appeared in a Chicago paper as follows: "WANTED—A man to take care of a horse that speaks German."

And last, but not least, the college paper that comes out with this restaurant ad: "Dine here and you'll never dine any place else."

Always good reading in the classified ads. Now read all the ads on this page. Phone an ad of your own tomorrow to Phone 111.

#### TERRIBLE

"I just love autos,"  
Said Harry Hunch,  
"You should see the truck  
I ate for lunch."

I shall never forget the ad the baker gave me one time. As I remember, it was as follows: "WANTED—boy for bakery; must be an early riser, born in the yeast, a good mixer, and will get his dough every Saturday night."

#### AWFUL THING

"Do you love me still?"  
Asked Mrs. Tray.  
"I don't know," said Tray,  
"You've never been that way."

Queen Marie pays only \$1 for her special train on the railroads. Yes, but the railroads are getting a lot of royalty on their trains. I'll wager the queen never saw as good a classified page as this in Rumania.

I have been trying to find out what Cal said when he ate dinner with the Queen. So far all that I can learn he said was, "please pass the salt." By the way, better phone an ad tomorrow.

NINE ROOM HOUSE—Could be rented as five room or four room apartments. Modern.

Phone 606W. 335 W. Third St.

HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS 25

FERTILIZER—in any quantity. For prices call C. O. Miller, elevator, Trebein, Ohio.

DIG TYPE POLAND—China boars "long," "wide." Easy feeders. The best ever. J. H. Lackey, the P. C. man, Jamestown, O.

SOW AND—Ten pigs, 3 weeks old for sale. Call 4055-F-5.

100 HEAD—Of cattle will be sold at the Jamestown combination sale, Oct. 29, Friday.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE 28

WILLOW BABY BUGGY—\$8.00; stroller, \$5.00. Inquire 22 Bell-Ave.

WINCHESTER—Repeating shotgun, new condition. Welbs Radiant gas heater. James Groom.

2 GOOD COAL—Heating stoves.

One used only 3 months. Warren Steele, Phone 4065R-2.

STOVES, STOVES—Heating and cook stoves of all kinds. We've got 'em. Mendenhall Used Furniture, N. King St., Phone 736.

POOL TABLE COMPLETE—\$30.00; library table, \$3.00; dresser, \$1.00; \$3.50 tree trimmers, \$1.00 each. Robt. Kohle, 107 W. Second St.

TAKE THE CHILL OUT of the atmosphere this winter evenings. With the Glow heater. Elchman & Miller, N. Main St.

TOM LONG—Real Estate man. I will sell your farm and city properties or will loan you money. See me—No. 9 W. Main St.

COTTAGE—5 rooms semi-modern. \$2,500; cottage 4 rooms, semi-modern, \$1,800. A. W. Tresise

FOR SALE—Large Wagner sausage stuffer, large Sharpless cream separator.

1 small churn, large block and tackle for hay conversion.

1 3 burner Florence oil range, just like new.

2 50 lb. foot ice boxes.

1 30 gallon oil drum.

All very reasonable.

Inquire at 1915 Richard St., Dayton, Ohio.

SECOND HAND SEWING MACHINES—Singer Sewing Machine office, 26 E. Market St.

APPLETON CORN HUSKERS—All sizes. Repairs. Huston-Bickett Hardware Co

# Gazette-Republican Comic And Feature Page

THE DUMBUNNIES—Watch Your Step, Dad!



By ALBERTINE RANDALL

## GIRLIETTES



## ETTA KETT



by Robinson



## SKIPPY

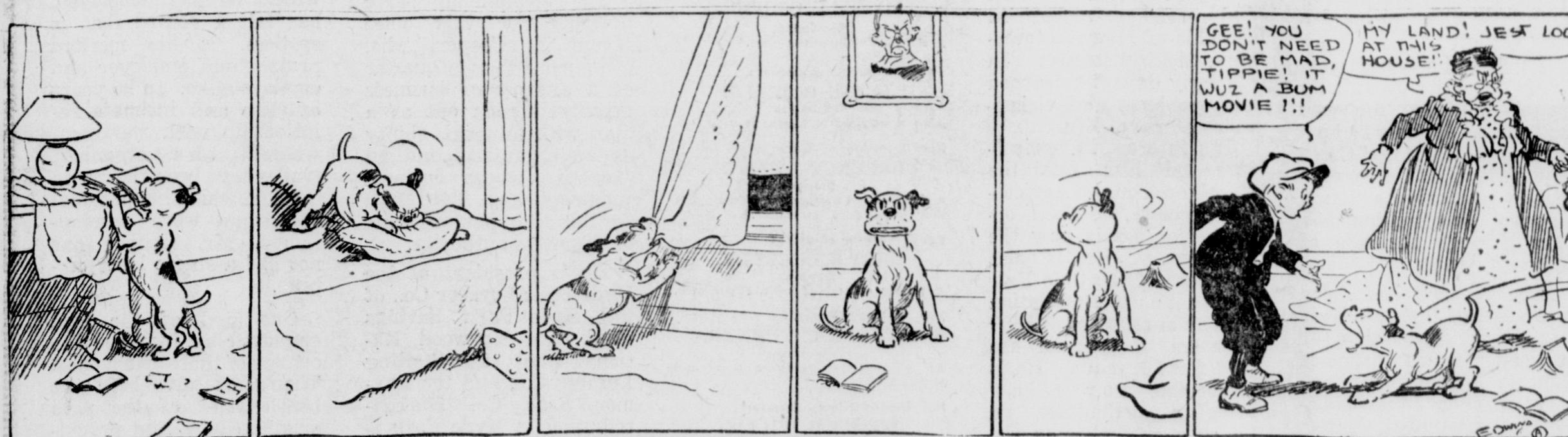


By Percy Crosby

## That's Not the Half of It

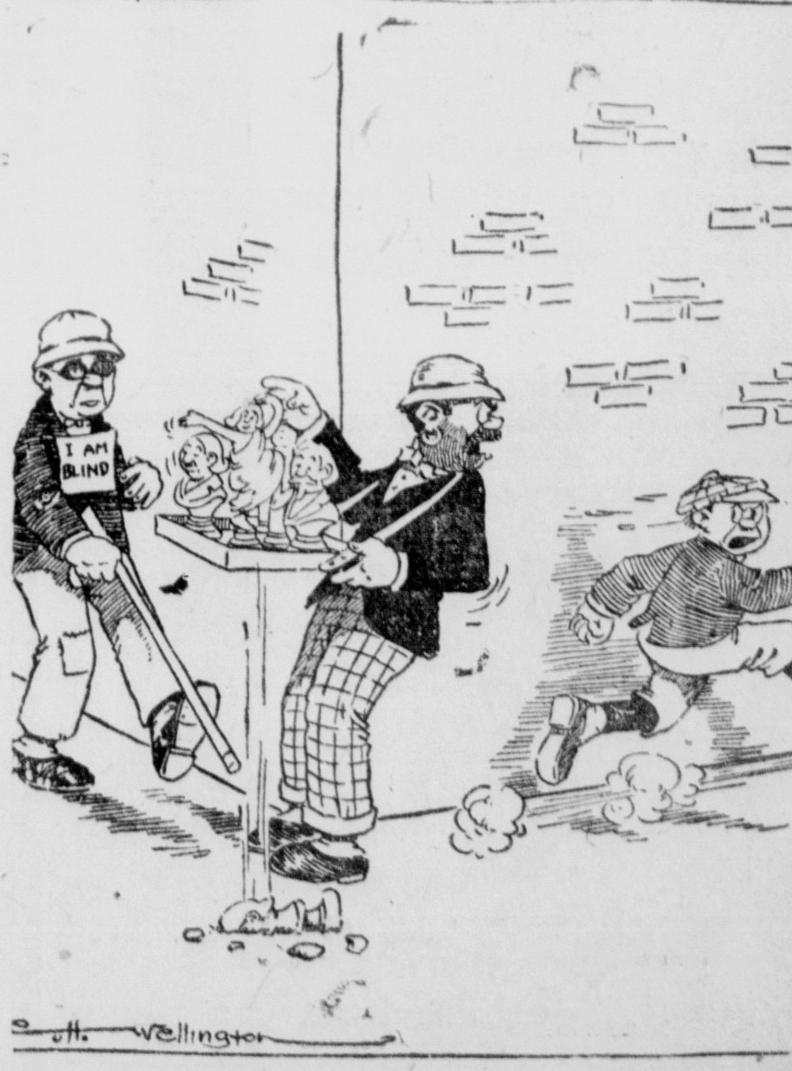


"CAP" STUBBS—Tipper Didn't Miss A Thing

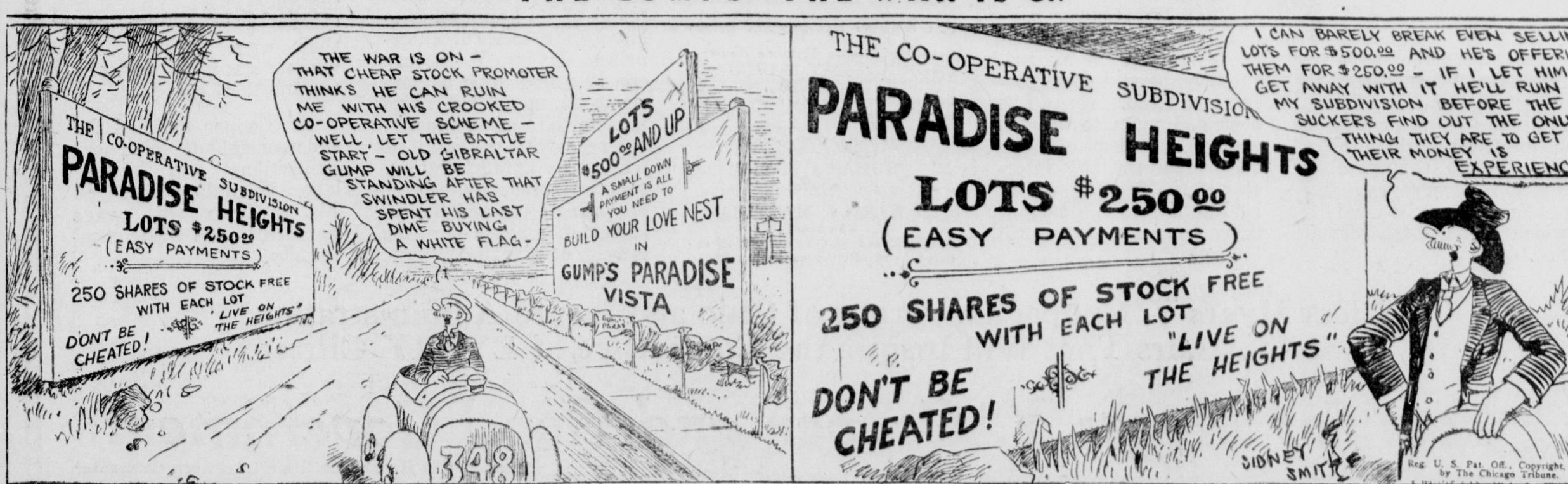


By Edwina

## THE WORST IS YET TO COME



## THE GUMPS—THE WAR IS ON



THE CO-OPERATIVE SUBDIVISION  
**PARADISE HEIGHTS**  
LOTS \$250.00 (EASY PAYMENTS)  
LOTS \$500.00 AND UP  
A SMALL DOWN PAYMENT IS ALL YOU NEED TO  
BUILD YOUR LOVE NEST IN  
GUMP'S PARADISE VISTA  
LIVE ON THE HEIGHTS!  
DON'T BE CHEATED!  
I CAN BARELY BREAK EVEN SELLING  
LOTS FOR \$500.00 AND HE'S OFFERING  
THEM FOR \$250.00 IF I LET HIM  
GET AWAY WITH IT HE'LL RUIN  
MY SUBDIVISION BEFORE THE  
SUCKERS FIND OUT THE ONLY  
THING THEY ARE TO GET FOR  
THEIR MONEY IS EXPERIENCE—  
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off. Copyright, 1926,  
by The Chicago Tribune.

SIDNEY SMITH

J. H. Wellington

## MOTHER SENTIMENT IN LIBRARY VOICED

Three rural mothers of Greene County have written the following letter of endorsement of the proposed library district:

To the Board of Governors of the Greene County Library:

Speaking for mothers in rural communities who desire to have Greene County take advantage of the new law.

2. World problems, problems concerning humanity must be solved by the coming generations. They must have knowledge as wide as their horizon and culture as pervasive as the atmosphere they breathe.

3. The county library district safeguards the interests and the rights of boys and girls in the leading commonwealth of the union. These promising young people are entitled to the very best of the best, from the best.

4. All of the mothers have an opportunity to help in this vote. Think of your children, of your neighbor's child. Think of the rural schools; what a help this library will be to the patient teacher, her pupils and the homes represented in these places of learning.

5. An inexhaustible mine of pleasure is open for the boy or girl who loves good books and has access to them. Without effort on the part of the parent they are kept at home and are free from the company of the idle and vicious, but instead these young people are storing their minds with useful knowledge. They are being taught higher ideals and more noble purposes.

Thus they develop into men and women who are an honor to their parents and worthy citizens of our great republic.

(Signed) Three Rural Mothers of Greene County."

## JAMESTOWN

### CLUB MEETS

Mrs. J. A. Bevan opened her home to receive the members of the Advance Club for their semi-monthly meeting. The topic for discussion was the "Land of the Vikings." Responses to roll call were "Chaff"; Mrs. L. S. Farquhar, "Royal Families of Norway and Sweden"; Mrs. Frazier, "Customs and Industries"; Mrs. Thompson, "Timely Topics"; Mrs. J. A. Carpenter, "Belgium." Beautiful dahlias of different varieties were used in profusion about the rooms. These blooms were also given as favors by the hostess. Miss Luella Brewster, the house guest of Mrs. L. L. Gray, was the guest of the club.

Mrs. Wolney Conklin has had for her guests, Mrs. Edith Curl and her daughter, Miss Jane, of Xenia.

The teacher of the Silver Ridge School, Mr. Harry Boring, with his pupils, gave an entertainment on Tuesday evening at the school building. An enjoyable program was rendered and refreshments served. This was given for a benefit for basketball equipment.

Miss Elizabeth West, of Yellow Springs, has been visiting with her cousin, Mrs. J. Q. McClain and other relatives in the vicinity.

Mr. Robert Harmount spent several days in Dayton last week with Mr. Harmount, who is employed there.

Miss Dena McDill, bookkeeper at the office of the Adams and Thuma Company, is spending her vacation

with her sisters, Mrs. James McIntyre, of New Burlington and Mrs. Frank Reeves, of Dayton. Mrs. Charles McDill, her mother, accompanied her on the visit.

Mrs. J. H. Ervin has gone to Cairo, Mich., to be with her sons, Ralph and Roger, who are located there, having good positions.

The Misses Alice and Minnie Stryker have for their guests, their sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Stryker of San Diego, California.

Mr. Foss Zartman of Lima, visited for several days with his sisters, Mrs. Lucy Zartman and Mrs. W. G. Watson.

Mrs. G. R. Bargdill and Miss Belle Nieberger have had for their guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Hann, of Portland, Oregon.

Mr. Robert Fritz, of Columbus, has sold his bakery and building to C. W. Miles, of Columbus, who is in Jamestown now getting everything in shape for an opening of the business. Later Mr. Miles will bring his family here, as Mrs. Miles is now in Chicago with their daughters, who are in school in that city.

Mr. Fritz conducted the bakery for a few years, buying the building of W. O. Custis, but on account of failing health had to discontinue the business.

Mrs. Mary Ruggie of Columbus, who is a cousin of the Misses Stryker, is a visitor at their home.

Mr. Alfred Ferguson, who has been employed in Akron, has resigned the position and will resume his studies at Wilmington College, which he attended last year.

Mrs. Jane Roberts visited last week in Dayton with her sister Mrs. Fannie Kepler and with her daughter, Mrs. Roy Webb and family near Xenia.

Mr. Earl Bisher and little son Jason of Springfield, spent Thursday and Friday with Mrs. Bisher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. McClain.

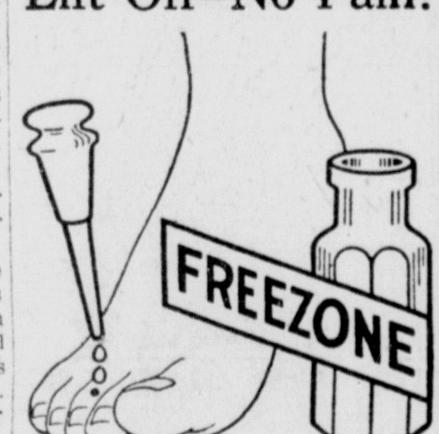
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Burns of Canton, have been the guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burr.

Mrs. Charles Wean, who has conducted a repair and painting shop in Jamestown for a number of years is now with his family moving to Circleville, O.

Mrs. Byron Thomas has returned.

## CORNS

Lift Off-No Pain!



Doesn't hurt one bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers.

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the foot calluses, without soreness or irritation.

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**VICTORY THEATER**  
Dayton  
4 DAYS ONLY SUN. OCT. 31 POPULAR WED. MAT.  
THE BIGGEST MUSICAL HIT IN THESE UNITED STATES  
Open Wed. Mat. 80c-1.10-1.65-2.20 Eves. 1.10-1.65-2.20-2.75-3.30 JAMES WELLIOT'S GLORIOUS

**CASTLES TOPS ALL MUSICAL PLAYS**  
in The AIR  
WITH DONALD ROY BRIAN CROPPER VIRGINIA O'BRIEN  
Chicago Company of 100  
GREATEST SINGING AND DANCING CHORUS EVER COMBINED IN ONE PRODUCTION  
DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE AND BE TURNED AWAY, IF YOU MISS THIS SHOW, YOU DESERVE TO. PROCURE YOUR SEATS EARLY.

## Fall And Winter Season

Have you seen our line of woolens for suits and overcoats? It is a line of goods all made of the best wool raised, no shoddy and our prices are very reasonable. Be sure and look at our line before you buy your suit.

Kany The Tailor

Detroit St. Opp. Court House.

Upstairs.

## Ohio Needs the Great Leadership That Is Exemplified in the Life and Activities of Myers Y. Cooper

### Cooper The Citizen

The people this year have an opportunity to apply the wisdom of our forefathers in choosing for governor a man whose career as a citizen of his city, his state and his country has been one of outstanding achievement.

Myers Y. Cooper embodies all the ideals that underlie the principles of good citizenship. He is today the president of the Ohio Council of Churches, an organization dedicated to the purpose of religious advancement. He is a deacon of the Walnut Hills Christian Church; a chairman of its building committee he raised \$200,000 with which to build a new edifice.

During the world war, Mr. Cooper personally raised \$500,000 for war activities, as division chairman of the Red Cross and Y. M. C. A. From the public platform he raised another half million dollars through the sale of Liberty Bonds.

Mr. Cooper has been president of the Ohio Fair Managers' Association for a decade; he is a trustee of Lincoln Memorial University, president of the Withrow Community Center, president of the Hamilton County Agricultural society, and is past president of the Hyde Park Business Club, and of the Hyde Park Community Center, which he founded.

As Governor of Ohio he can be depended upon to bring to the executive chair the same principles of citizenship which have made him an outstanding figure in every civic and public enterprise with which he has been identified.

### Cooper The Friend of Agriculture

Time was when the farmer paid scant attention to the problems of state government. He felt that he could best serve his state by attending his plow, and he left the problems and policies of government to other hands.

But of late years taxation has become more burdensome, other problems of agriculture have increased, and the farmer has realized the necessity of his day in court.

Farmers of Ohio today have the opportunity to elect a governor whose interest in agriculture was inherited at his birth. Myers Y. Cooper was born and reared on a farm in the hills of Newton township, Licking county. In his early days he learned the problems and vicissitudes of rural life.

His interest in agriculture led him into the Hamilton County Agricultural society, of which organization he is now the president. He is also president of the Ohio Fair Managers' Association with an enrollment of 1600 members, a post he has held for 10 years. He is responsible for a law bringing agriculture to the boys and girls in the public schools. He owns and operates a 320-acre farm in Butler county—one of the model farms of the state.

What Mr. Cooper has done for the advancement of agriculture in his private life, he will do as governor of Ohio. He can be depended upon to use the state department of agriculture for the best interests of the farmer, and to lend an ear to any suggestions from those who till the soil.



Myers Y. Cooper

*The Ticket*

For Governor: MYERS Y. COOPER, Cincinnati

A successful business man.

For Lieutenant Governor: JAMES O. MILLIS, Columbus

Also a successful business man.

For Secretary of State: CLARENCE J. BROWN, Blanchester

A progressive newspaper owner; former Lieutenant governor.

For Treasurer of State: BERT B. BUCKLEY, Dayton

A public official of wide experience.

For Attorney General: EDWARD C. TURNER, Columbus

An able lawyer seeking a second term.

For United States Senator: FRANK B. WILLIS, Delaware

A statesman of influence and achievement.

Judicial Ticket

Republican Nominees for Supreme Court

(On Separate Non-Partisan Ballot)

For Chief Justice Supreme Court: CARRINGTON T. MARSHALL, Zanesville

Seeking second term; able, courageous, fearless.

For Judge of Supreme Court:

(Vote for Two)

THOMAS A. JONES, Jackson

EDWARD S. MATTHIAS, Van Wert

Distinguished and able jurists; entitled to re-election on their records.

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become a manager in one of the

companies chain of stores. Their

neighbors and friends are sorry to

see them leave this vicinity.

The Rev. Mr. John Jenks,

R. W. Burnsides of

Philadelphia, who is national sec-

retary of the board of relief, of

the Presbyterian Church, will give

an address on the subject at the

Jamestown Church on Friday eve-

ning. He will illustrate his talk with

pictures. The public is invited. Ad-

mission will be free.

Mrs. Theodore Hughes, who has

been very ill for several weeks at

the home of her son-in-law and

daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank

Johnston is slowly improving in

health.

Mr. Guy Patton and family are

planning to move to Dayton where

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The Rev. Mr. L. L. Gray

and their houseguest attended the

Young People's Rally of the Xenia

Presbyterian on Monday evening at

her cousin, Miss Bessie Wallace.

Miss Mattie Williams

leaves at

this week from Chicago where she

has been visiting relatives for the

past three weeks.

She also stopped

at Elwood, Ind.

for a visit of a

few days with

cousins, enroute

home.

Mrs. Davis Barnhart will return

to this week from her winter home, at

Melbourne, Fla., after spending the

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## STATE EASTERN STAR CONVENTION HELD AT SPRINGFIELD

The thirty-seventh annual state convention of the Order of the Eastern Star opened in Springfield with a formal banquet in the Hotel Bancroft, Monday night. Grand officers of the Ohio chapter were guests of Home City and Norris Chapters, Springfield, at the affair. Covers were laid for fifty-eight. Mrs. Ethel E. Webster of Springfield, deputy grand matron of the eighteenth district, presided. A formal dance and entertainment at Rickley Memorial Home followed the banquet.

The opening business session of the convention was held Wednesday morning at Memorial Hall with Mrs. Elizabeth Hood of Cleveland, worthy grand matron of Ohio, presiding.

Tuesday afternoon the visitors were taken on a sightseeing tour to the Masonic Home. About 1,000 persons took this trip. A reception for the delegates and visitors will be held at the home from 4 until 6.

Official opening of the grand chapter by the grand officers will take place Tuesday evening at 7:30 in Memorial Hall. A pageant will be presented as a feature of the evening meeting. Election of officers will take place Wednesday afternoon. Eight hundred persons are expected to be seated at the banquets at the Hotel Shawnee Wednesday night.

### YELLOW SPRINGS

Dayton St. from Walnut to the railroad was the gayest spot in Yellow Springs Friday evening when the annual Library Benefit Carnival took place. The crowd this year beat all records in the past there being over 1,500 passing through the gates. The ladies began serving lunch at 5 o'clock in the evening and were kept busy until 8 o'clock when the grand march began. The thirty-eight piece band from the O. S. and S. O. Home in Xenia furnished the music for the evening. Prizes were awarded for costumes of different styles and athletic events. The receipts of the evening totaled over \$400.00. This amount will be used toward the expenses of the public library. The Yellow Springs Civic Club assisted the library committee in making this carnival a big success.

The Miami Grange will give a Hallowe'en party in their hall on Dayton St. Friday evening. Members must come masked or pay a fine.

The members of the Westminster Bible Class of the Presbyterian Church, of which Miss Florence Williams is teacher, had a Hallowe'en party at the home of Miss Leora Dickman, Wednesday evening. There were thirty present. Prizes were awarded to Miss Marian Whiting, prettiest costume. Mrs. Charles Lee who was declared to be wearing the ugliest costume and to Mrs. Allan C. Swinnerton for the best character costume. Refreshments in keeping with the Hallowe'en season were served.

The W. F. M. S. of the Methodist Church will hold an all day market Saturday in the Phillips building on Xenia avenue. Market will open at 10:30.

Mr. S. S. Puckett a former resident of this place, now residing in Michigan, was here Wednesday calling on old friends.

Mrs. W. J. Currie is visiting relatives in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Currey returned Friday from Cincinnati where they spent a few days.

Miss Clara Zell, Miss Florence Johnson, Gene Thompson and Ernest Johnson motored to Ada, Sunday when they visited William Erbaugh.

Miss Margaret Elizabeth Legge of Springfield, spent the week end with Miss Florence McCurdy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Speaks and daughter Alice and Paul Counts of Springfield spent Sunday with Mrs. Norah Fry and Miss Edith Fry.

Mrs. Ralph Figgins gave an afternoon party Saturday in honor of her little daughter Joan's eighth birthday. There were fourteen little folks present. The afternoon was spent in games. The decorations were orange and black. Refreshments were orange and black. Refreshments were served to the following guests, Esther Weiss, Dorothy Gegner, Mary Smith, Doris Shook, Martha Dell, DeMerle Coffman, Julia Jane and Kathleen White, Josephine Loe, Janet Littleton, Carolyn Ellis, Betty Brenner, Betty Dunevant and Ruth Littleton of Springfield.

### Saves Two Lives



National Girl Scout council has awarded heroine medal to Sarah Britton, 15, Kenosha, Wis., school girl for saving two girls from drowning in Lake Michigan.

### THE OLD HOME TOWN



**CLUB DAY—MRS BOWSER HAD NO ONE TO LEAVE HER CHILDREN WITH SO SHE BROUGHT THEM ALONG TO THE CLUB MEETING TODAY—**

Stanley

### BOYS BIGGER MORAL PROBLEM THAN FLAPPERS; SCIENTIST FINDS; INDUSTRIAL AGE BLAME SAID



MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 26—

Quit worrying about the flapper and pay some attention to your growing boy. He is society's biggest problem today.

That is the advice of J. L. Gillin, noted sociologist of the University of Wisconsin, who weighs the "youth problem" with figures gathered by the scientist, and who knows that such things as the "Jazz age" are the results of very definite causes.

"In 1910 eight boys to one girl were committed to correctional institutions, while in 1923, 11 boys to one girl were committed. That's why we know more boys than girls are going wrong," he continued.

Explains Changing Conditions.

"The old conditions which surrounded boys have passed away," Dr. Gillin began in picturing modern social influences which bear upon boys. "Once the youth worked in his father's shop or on his father's farm, close and intimate association with his elders. Today our industrial life thrusts him into a shop where his associates are boys of his own age mingled with a few older men who have no stake in his moral and social development. His home is only a roosting place.

"Moreover, since he is working at a salary, he has more money to spend during his adolescent period than ever before. The way in which he should spend that money is not determined by family ideals as it once was.

"Old neighborhood influences have been supplemented by commercial amusements. Evil elements in society have tied up with these places of amusement for their own purposes. Consequently even the relaxation of youth is fraught with danger."

Professor Gillin also calls attention to the disruptive influence exerted upon the moral standards of youth by cynicism and self-indulgence of older men.

To remodel methods of dealing with adolescent youths so as to make them fit with the new economic and social order, he suggests the following program:

"Employers can take the proper attitude toward boys of working age who are in their employ. These employers of labor can make men as well as articles of commerce.

Must Understand Boys.

"Even more important is it that parents, teachers and all others who have to do with adolescent boys should understand them. A boy is, perhaps the most misunderstood being on earth. He needs sympathy which comes from understanding rather than jibes and repressive measures. Adolescent boys are the incarnation of idealism."

"In order to change conditions which are making bad boys today we must introduce the understanding heart into industry, into our homes, into our schools, into our

### What's The Use Of Knowing

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### SLANG NOT DEGENERATION SIGN, LANGUAGE RICHER

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Slang is all right, according to Professor G. R. Potter, of the University of California English department.

"Slang is not the sign of a degeneration of the tongue," the professor asserted. "It is a development of expression which enriches rather than cheapens the language."

Shakespeare used slang words and phrases in his writings, Professor Potter contended, and so did O. Henry and a number of other writers whose productions are now considered the classics of literature.

"Language must change con-

### MORE ENDORSEMENTS OF LIBRARY GIVEN

The proposed Greene County Library district continues to receive endorsements from organizations all over the county, the following having recently been added to the list:

"The High School Aid of the centralized schools of Spring Valley township.

Auxiliary of Joseph P. Foody Post, American Legion.

Alpha Theta Chapter, Delta Theta Tau Sorority.

County lodges of the Daughters of America.

Dorcas Missionary Society and various other missionary societies of the city and county.

stantly to express the feelings of the people," Professor Potter declared. "Many colloquisms and phrases are more workable and vivid than those grammatically sanctioned.

"Grammar is not scientific and it is natural that it changes according to the times. Of course, many of the slang expressions of the day soon die, but the really worthwhile ones, those which best express a certain thought, live and become incorporated into the language."

Before leaving, the officials indicated the Ross County grand jury now in recess, may be recon-

### ARREST SUSPECTS IN POLICE MURDER

CHILLICOTHE, O., Oct. 26—

John and Montrose Hickman, Columbus, wanted for questioning in connection with the shooting to death of Policeman Dan Garrett here on the night of October 14, arrested near Point Pleasant, W. Va., will be brought back here today Sheriff Fred Immel and Acting Police Chief Philip Keim left early this morning for the fugitives.

Before leaving, the officials indicated the Ross County grand jury now in recess, may be recon-

vened to hear the evidence in the case.

Meanwhile Rosetta Doland, Columbus, and Cleo Webb, Doanville, who admitted police say, they were with the Hickmans on the night of the murder, were still in jail here. Miss Webb sat sullenly in her cell while the Doland girl continued to express joy that their two erstwhile companions had been apprehended, police said.

### SEE THE POINT?

URBANA, O., Oct. 26—A needle which had penetrated her body thirty years ago when she sat down on it and which had caused intense pain during that time was removed from the body of Mrs. Louis Zeigler, Urbana, at the hos-

pital here.

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STANLEY

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## HALLOWE'EN MARDI GRAS TO BE "BIGGER THAN EVER," PLAN

Complete plans for the second annual Hallowe'en carnival and celebration in Xenia Saturday night, October 30, sponsored by the Xenia Municipal Band with co-operation of the Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs, were formulated Monday.

A list of forty costumes and character impersonations for which Xenia merchants are offering prizes, is being announced.

It is the intention of its sponsors to make this year's gala celebration more pretentious than ever before, exceeding every past

carnival of its kind.

The festivities will center at the south lawn of the Court House, where a reviewing stand will be erected. Costumed characters will pass in review before a list of judges who will be announced later, and prizes will be awarded on the basis of the decisions of these judges.

Space between Detroit and Green Sts. will probably be roped off and given over entirely to the celebrators.

The list of best costumed individuals types for which forty prizes will be given, follows:

Best dressed woman over twenty, best dressed girl between fourteen and twenty, best dressed girl under fourteen, most comically dressed woman over twenty, most comically dressed girl between

fourteen and twenty, most comically dressed girl under fourteen, best characterization by woman over twenty, by girl between fourteen and twenty, and by girl under fourteen.

## SNOW HILL CADDY HOUSE DESTROYED

The caddy house at the Snow Hill Country Club, Wilmington, was burned by fire of unknown origin between 5 and 6 o'clock Friday evening, entailing a loss of approximately \$4,000, of which \$1,100 was sustained by John Lamb, club professional, in clubs and other golfing paraphernalia.

Included in Lamb's loss was a

shipment of clubs valued at \$500 which had arrived at the caddy house Friday morning. The other outfit belonged to members of the club including about sixty bags that had been stored there and left for cleaning. No insurance was carried.

**SHOT BY RELATIVE**

TILTONVILLE, Oct. 26.—John Checco, Steubenville, was fatally shot at the home of his father-in-

law, Angelo Caluso, here early today, when, according to Checco's wife and her mother, he came home intoxicated and threatened to kill them. Caluso is held in jail. Checco died en route to a Martins Ferry hospital.

## GAME WARDEN GETS DATA ON LOCAL FISH

Interesting statistics of the total number of different forms of fish

and game consigned to Greene County by the state and distributed during the past four years, are contained in a letter received by District Game Warden Karl L. Keller from D. O. Thompson, chief of the division of fish and game. The report covers the period from 1923 to 1926.

According to these figures, 399,194 represents the total number of fish distributed in Greene County streams during the past four years. A total of 641 pheasants and 1,000 pheasant eggs have also been as-

signed to this county during that period.

Greene County has received twenty-seven rabbits so far in 1926.

Mr. Keller announces that the open season for pheasant hunting begins November 15 and continues to November 25, inclusive, providing ten days of hunting. Hunters must obtain licenses, he says.

The game warden announces this form of game will be plentiful in all parts of Greene County this season.



Boiled food that is scorched may often be removed by dropping a piece of charcoal into the kettle and letting it stand a while.

By Beck

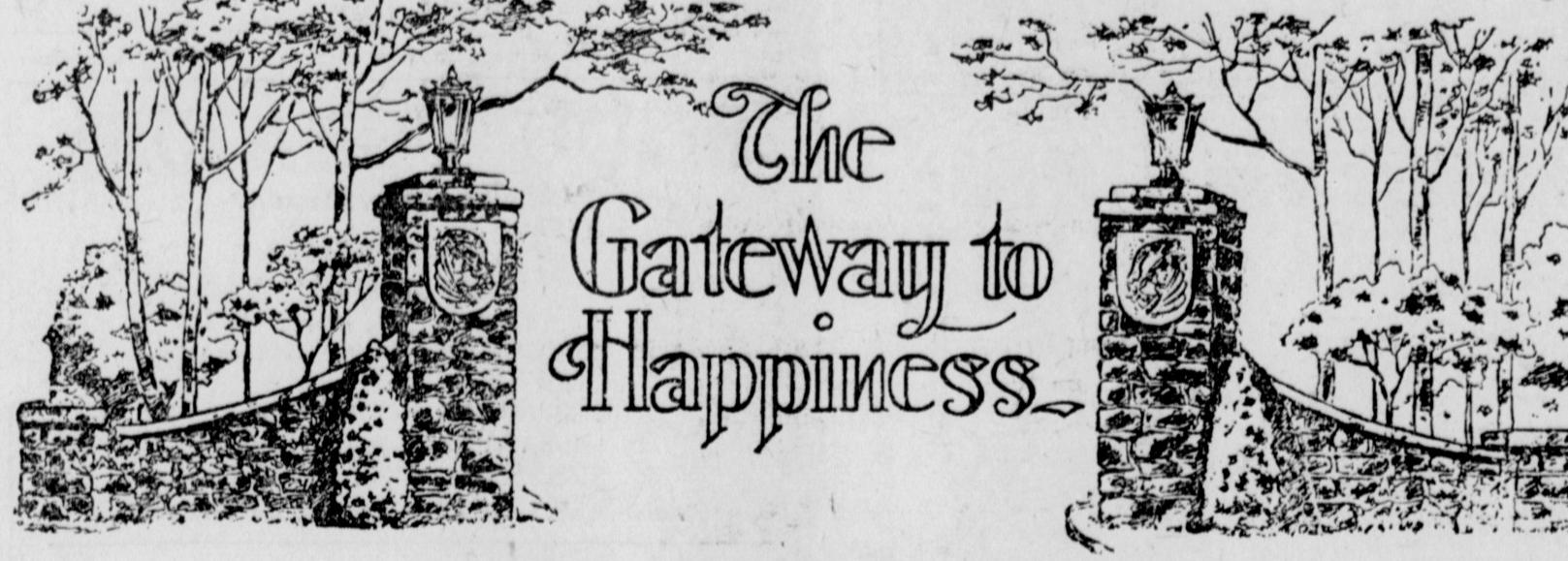
## GAS BUGGIES—Sweet Dreams



## BARRED FROM OHIO

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The Ohio state insurance department acted within its constitutional powers in barring the Palmetto Fire Insurance Company from doing business within the state because it entered into a contract with the Chrysler Motor Company to insure automobiles against fire and theft wherever sold, the supreme court decided.

The Ohio superintendent of insurance acted under a state law prohibiting the placing of insurance on a property within the state except through a resident agent.



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### BED ROOM

Includes a 2-inch continuous poster metal bed, full size, enameled, walnut, link fabric steel springs, brown japanned, a 45 lb. cotton top mattress and 1 pair of feather pillows. 9x12 Bed Room Rug. Good sized walnut finished dresser. This is a very practical and economical Bed Room outfit.

### KITCHEN

Includes gas range, 9x12 Felt Base floor covering, porcelain top kitchen table with four white enameled chairs to match. The dainty little kitchen is very practical as it includes the necessary pieces for dining.

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### LIVING ROOM

Includes a fine three-piece overstuffed suite, upholstered in good grade of velour, strictly guaranteed; Room size rug, an English designed Davenport table mahogany finish, also an artistic lamp base with Silk Shade.

### DINING ROOM

A very wonderful five-piece decorated breakfast suite, gate leg style, 9x12 rug to harmonize.

### BED ROOM

Includes a full sized 2-inch continuous poster metal bed, enameled walnut link fabric spring, brown japanned, 45 lb. 100 per cent cotton mattress, large dresser to match in walnut finish, a fine bed room rug is also included in this outfit.

### KITCHEN

Includes a good gas range, 9x12 Felt Base floor covering, porcelain top table and two white enameled chairs to match.

TERMS-\$3.50 Per Week

Four Rooms

**\$525**

Deluxe

Easy Terms

### LIVING ROOM

Includes three piece overstuffed suite covered all over in good velour, 9x12 Rug, mahogany finished davenport table, mahogany finished end table, a table lamp, bridge lamp, junior lamp, table cover and a pair of book ends included in this room.

### DINING ROOM

8 piece dining room suite, consisting of buffet with mirror, oblong table and six chairs. A 9x12 rug and a 50 piece set of dishes included in this room.

### BED ROOM

A handsome 3 piece walnut veneered bed room suite consisting of bed, chiffonier and large dresser finished French walnut. Included in this room is a 9x12 rug, spring, 45 lb. 100 per cent cotton mattress, pair of Pillows and a bed lamp.

### KITCHEN

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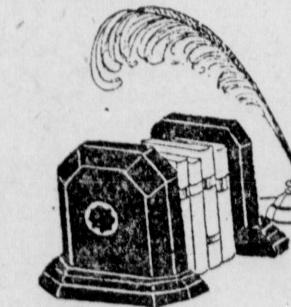
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